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17	SHERRI HINKLE
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- 1 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are now on the record. My
- 2 name is Anthony Micheletto. I am a videographer for
- 3 Golkow Litigation Services.
- 4 Today's date is January 25th, 2019. The
- 5 time is 8:56 a.m., as indicated on the video screen.
- 6 This video deposition is being held in
- 7 Indianapolis, Indiana, in the matter of In Re National
- 8 Prescription Opiate Litigation, for the United States
- 9 District Court for the Northern District of Ohio,
- 10 Eastern Division.
- 11 Our deponent is Sherri Hinkle.
- 12 Will counsel please identify themselves
- 13 for the video record.
- MR. ELSNER: My name is Michael Elsner from
- 15 Motley Rice on behalf of Plaintiffs.
- 16 MR. GOETZ: Daniel Goetz on behalf of the
- 17 Plaintiffs.
- MS. HARMON: Sarah Harmon of Armstrong &
- 19 Teasdale on behalf of Cardinal Health.
- MR. CLARK: Miles Clark, Zuckerman Spaeder, on
- 21 behalf of CVS Indiana, LLC, CVS Rx Services, Inc. and
- the witness.
- MR. HYNES: Paul Hynes, Zuckerman Spaeder LLP,
- 24 on behalf of same parties.

- 1 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Counsel on the phone?
- MS. YAACOUB: Pamela Yaacoub from Jones Day on
- 3 behalf of Walmart.
- 4 MS. RUSSO: Shana Russo on behalf of
- 5 AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation and
- 6 AmerisourceBergen Corporation.
- 7 MR. HOUSTON: Zeno Houston from Arnold & Porter
- 8 on behalf of the Endo and Par defendants.
- 9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Our court reporter today is
- 10 Juliana Zajicek.
- 11 Please swear in the witness.
- 12 (WHEREUPON, the witness was duly
- sworn.)
- 14 SHERRI HINKLE,
- 15 called as a witness herein, having been first duly
- 16 sworn, was examined and testified as follows:
- 17 EXAMINATION
- 18 BY MR. ELSNER:
- 19 Q. Good morning.
- 20 A. Good morning.
- Q. My name is Mike Elsner and I represent the
- 22 Plaintiffs in the case and I'm going to be asking you
- a few questions this morning, okay?
- 24 A. Okay.

- 1 Q. If you ever need to take a break, just let
- 2 us know and we can go off the record and take a quick
- 3 break, okay?
- 4 A. Okay.
- 5 Q. Can you tell us your full name?
- 6 A. Sherri Lynn Hinkle.
- 7 Q. Okay. And where are you from?
- 8 A. Indianapolis, Indiana.
- 9 Q. Okay. Have you lived your whole life in
- 10 Indiana?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And have you ever been deposed
- 13 before?
- 14 A. No.
- 15 Q. Okay. Besides your attorney Mr. Hynes,
- 16 did you speak with anyone else about your deposition
- 17 today?
- 18 A. No.
- 19 Q. Okay. Did you read any depositions that
- 20 were taken in this case?
- 21 A. No.
- Q. Okay. Can you describe for me your
- 23 educational background?
- A. I went to high school at -- at Arsenal

- 1 Tech here in Indianapolis and I went to Indiana
- 2 University in Bloomington.
- Q. All right. Did you graduate with a degree
- 4 from Indiana University?
- 5 A. Yes. A general studies degree.
- 6 Q. A general studies degree.
- 7 And when was that?
- 8 A. In '89.
- 9 Q. Okay. What was your first job after you
- 10 graduated from the university?
- 11 A. I worked at a daycare.
- 12 Q. Okay. How long did you do that?
- 13 A. Five, six years.
- Q. All right. And what did you -- so that
- was about, what, '89 to, what, '93, '94 or something
- 16 like that?
- 17 A. '92.
- 18 Q. '92, okay.
- What did you do after that?
- 20 A. I went -- followed CVS.
- Q. Okay. And in 1992, did you work for CVS
- 22 or did you work for Revco?
- A. It was Hooks at the time.
- Q. Hooks, okay.

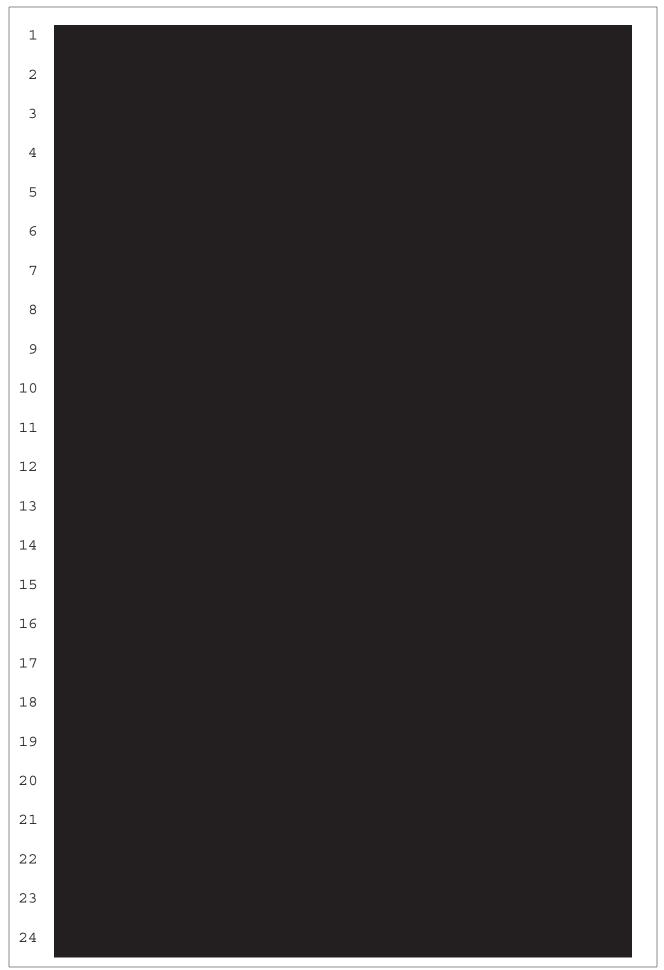
- 1 A. Hooks at the time.
- Q. And what were you doing for Hooks?
- 3 A. I was a picker.
- 4 Q. A picker. All right.
- 5 And did Hooks distribute controlled
- 6 substances?
- 7 A. I don't know.
- 8 Q. No.
- 9 Did Hicks [sic] distribute
- 10 pharmaceuticals, drugs?
- 11 A. I don't know.
- 12 Q. No.
- So what were you --
- MR. HYNES: I think she said "I don't know."
- MR. ELSNER: Oh.
- MR. HYNES: Did you say "I don't know" or did
- 17 you say "No"?
- 18 THE WITNESS: "I don't know."
- 19 MR. HYNES: Yeah.
- 20 MR. ELSNER: Oh, I'm sorry. I missed --
- MR. HYNES: So I think she said -- I think both
- 22 answers were "I don't know" to those two questions.
- 23 BY MR. ELSNER:
- Q. Okay. What were you picking when you were

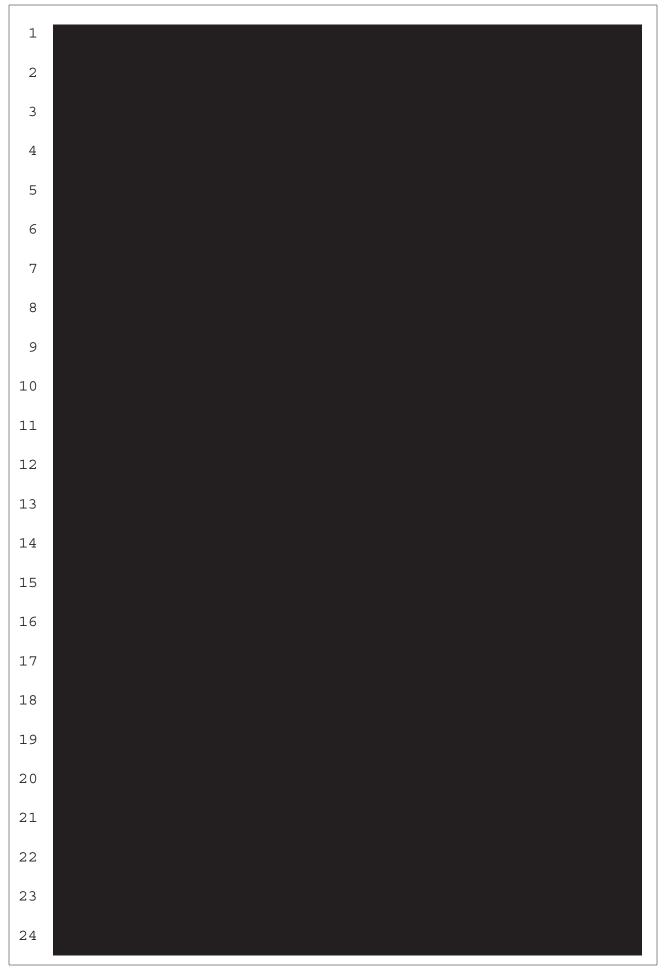
- working for Hooks?
- 2 A. When I started, I was doing makeup and
- 3 hair products.
- 4 Q. Okay. And how long did you work for
- 5 Hooks?
- A. It was a year before they switched over to
- 7 Revco.
- Q. To Revco, okay.
- 9 And then when you started at Revco, were
- 10 you still doing makeup, picking?
- 11 A. I was still picking, yes.
- Q. Okay. And -- and the same products?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And how long did you work as a
- 15 picker at Revco?
- 16 A. Maybe six months before. Maybe six
- months.
- Q. And then it changed over to CVS?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And when it changed to CVS, were
- 21 you -- were you still working as a picker?
- 22 A. I -- I was working as a stocker then.
- Q. As a stocker, okay.
- Why did that change?

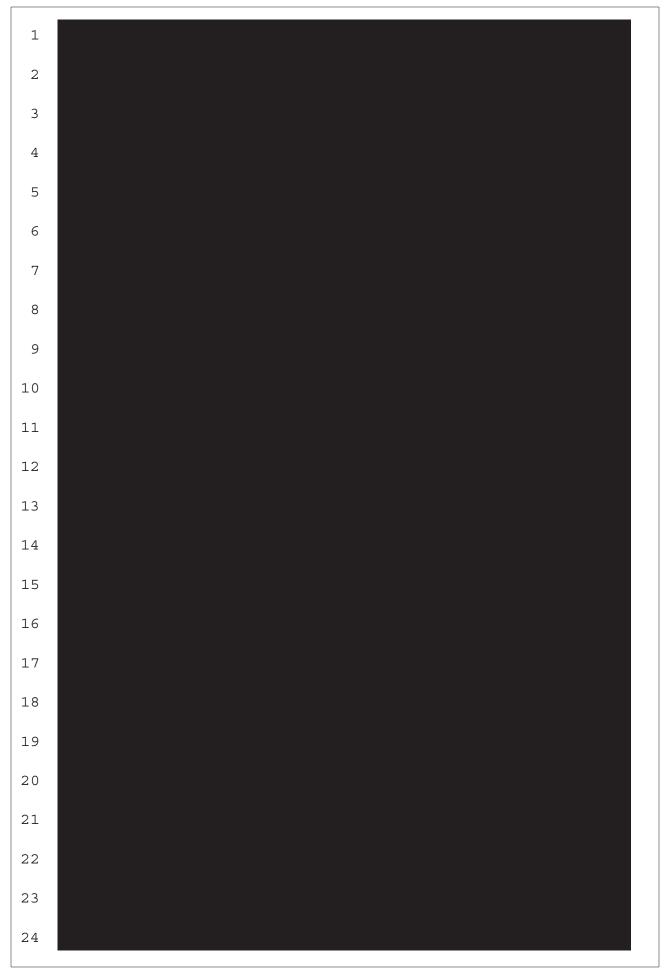
- 1 A. Different job position. It came with
- 2 regular work.
- Q. And you applied for that?
- 4 A. Um-hum.
- 5 Q. Okay. And what were you stocking as a
- 6 stocker?
- 7 A. I was stocking in the -- in the Rx
- 8 department then.
- 9 Q. Okay. So -- so you were -- by Rx, you
- 10 mean pharmaceuticals or drugs?
- 11 A. Um-hum. The pharmaceutical, yes.
- 12 Q. Okay. And were those controlled
- 13 substances?
- 14 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And if I'm right about this, CVS
- 16 purchased Revco around 1998.
- Does that sound about right when you --
- 18 A. I don't remember.
- 19 Q. Okay. But all of this was in the same
- 20 building, is that right?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And that's the same building you
- work today?
- 24 A. Yes.

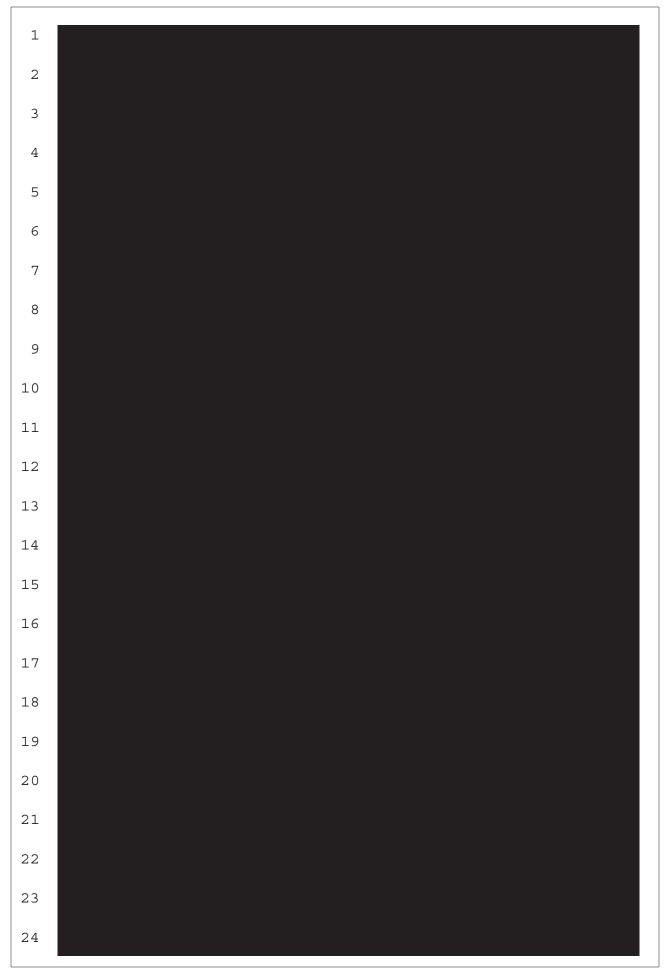
- 1 Q. Okay. How long did you work as a stocker
- of drugs for CVS?
- A. Maybe about six -- maybe four, five years.
- 4 I don't remember.
- 5 Q. Okay. And when did -- and -- and then
- 6 what position did you take?
- 7 A. Inventory control.
- Q. Okay. What is inventory control?
- 9 A. We keep track of all of the products in
- 10 the Rx department.
- 11 Q. Okay. So it's inventory control for
- 12 pharmaceuticals, is that right?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. Are you responsible for inventory control
- of any other products?
- 16 A. Because I do the cage now, controlled
- 17 substances now.
- 18 Q. Okay. I -- I'm going to just focus --
- 19 before we get to the cage, I want to just focus on
- 20 inventory.
- Well -- well, when you started in
- inventory control, was it in the cage or outside of
- the cage?
- A. When I first started, it was outside the

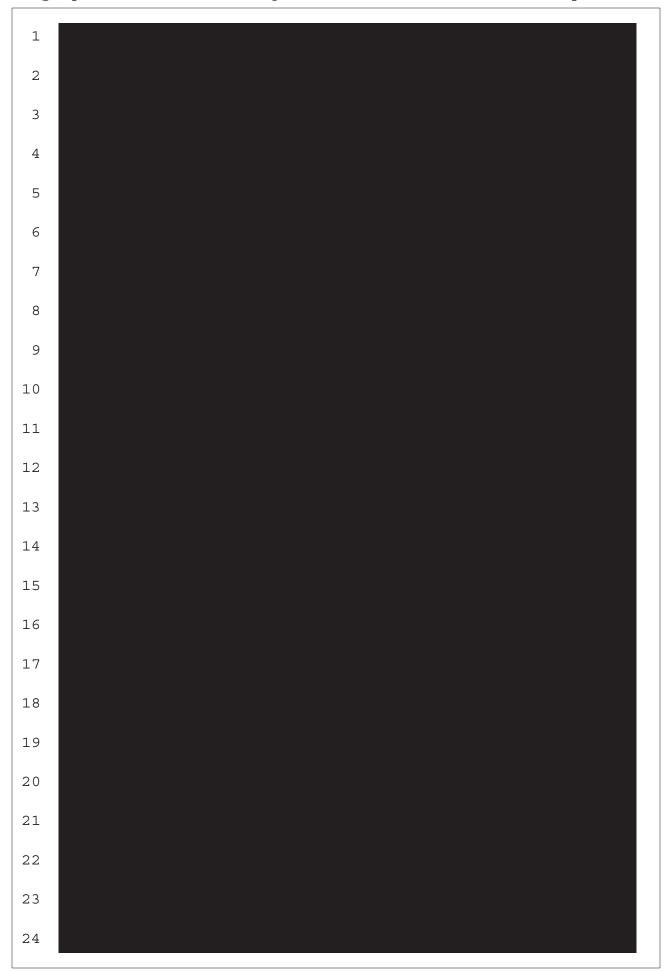
1 cage. Okay. Tell me how long you did that. 2 I still do it. So, almost 20 -- almost 3 Α. 15, 16 years, because I still do it now. You still do it now? 5 Q. Um-hum. 6 Α. 7 Okay. So when you were doing inventory Q. 8 control for pharmaceuticals, at what -- did it include 9 controlled substances the whole time or when did you start working in controlled substances? 10 11 Α. It start that year after. 12 Q. A year after? 13 Um-hum. Α. 14 Okay. So what's your best estimate as to Q. the year that that -- that that happened? Is it 2000, 15 16 2001? 17 Probably 2001. Α. 18 Q. 2001, okay. 19 And so in 2001, that's the first year you started working with controlled --20 21 Α. Yes. 22 Q. -- substances, right? 23 24

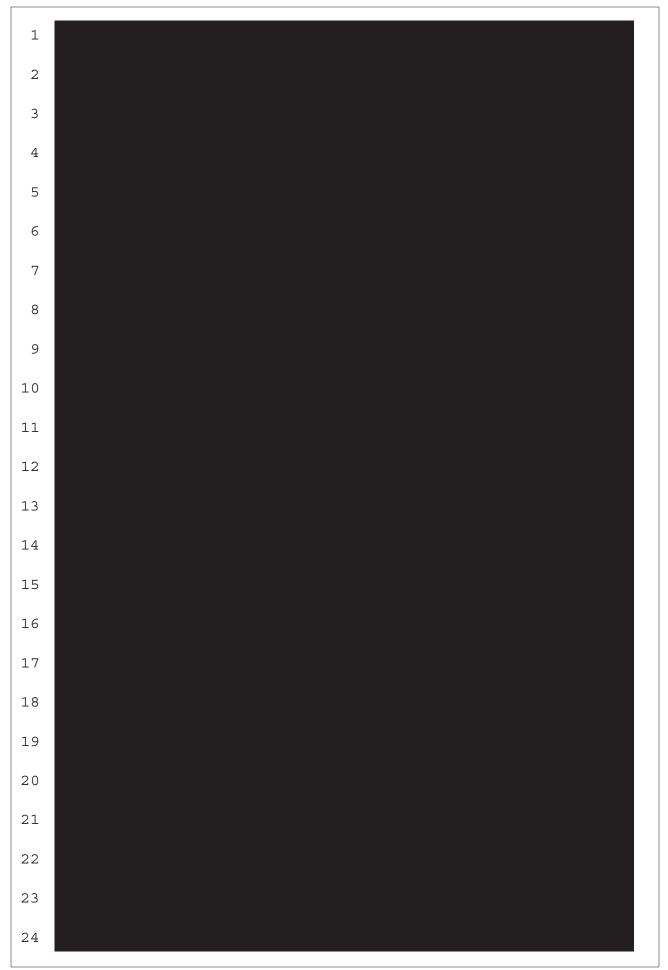


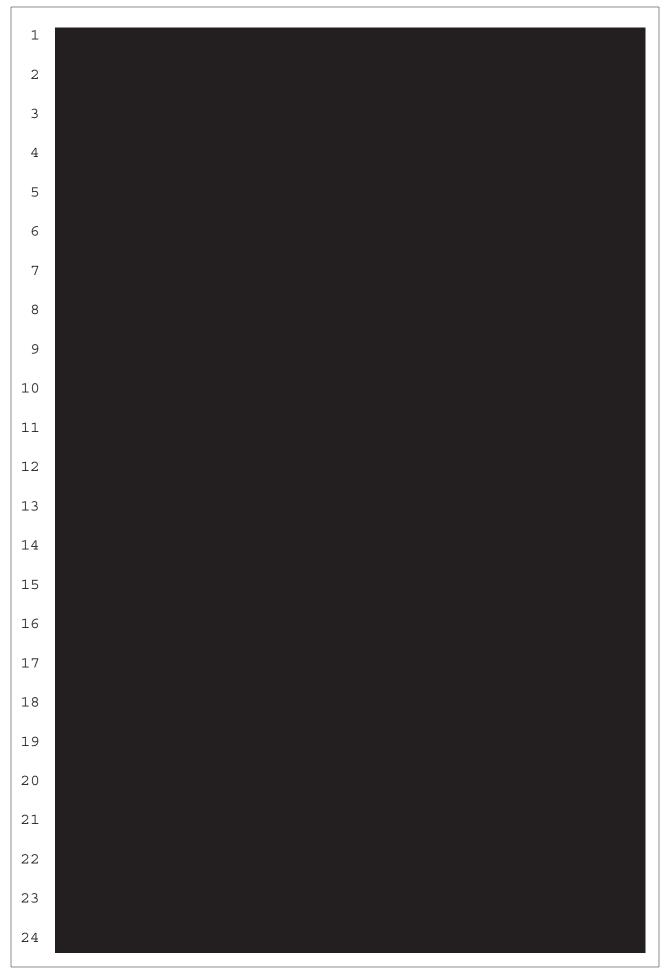


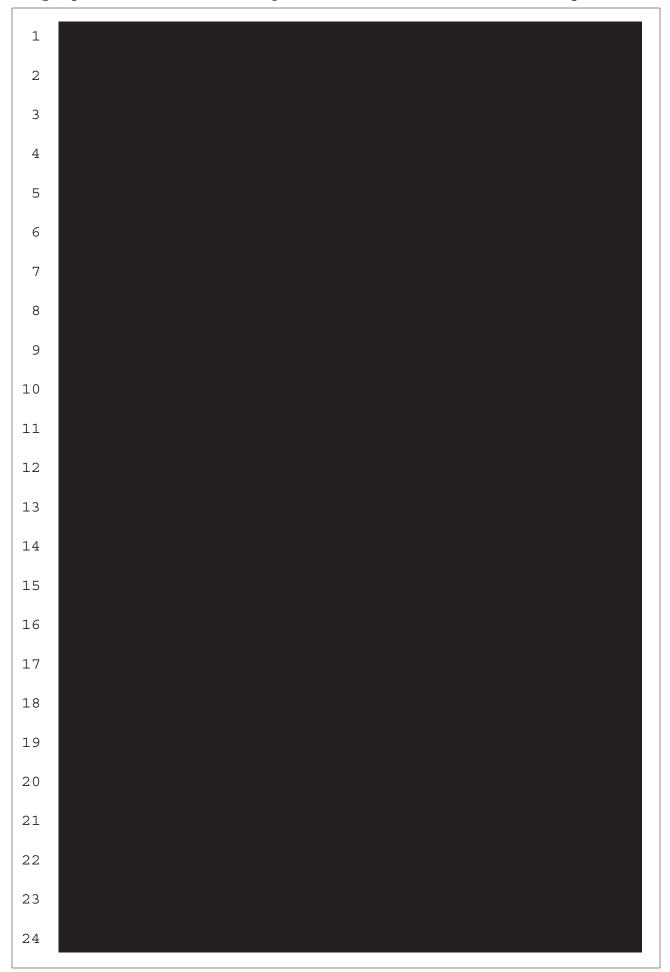


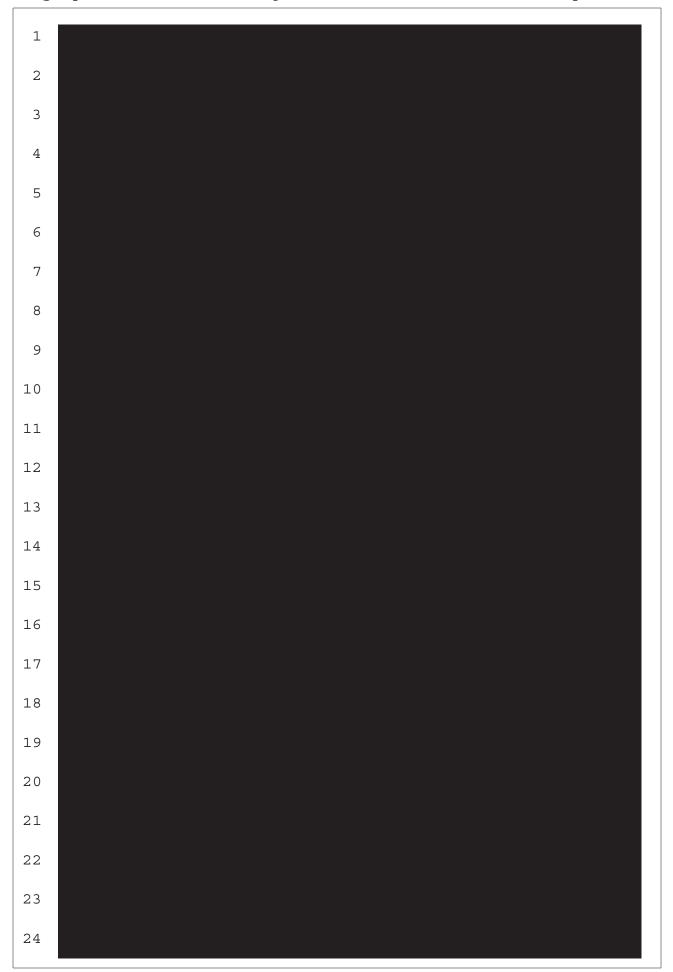


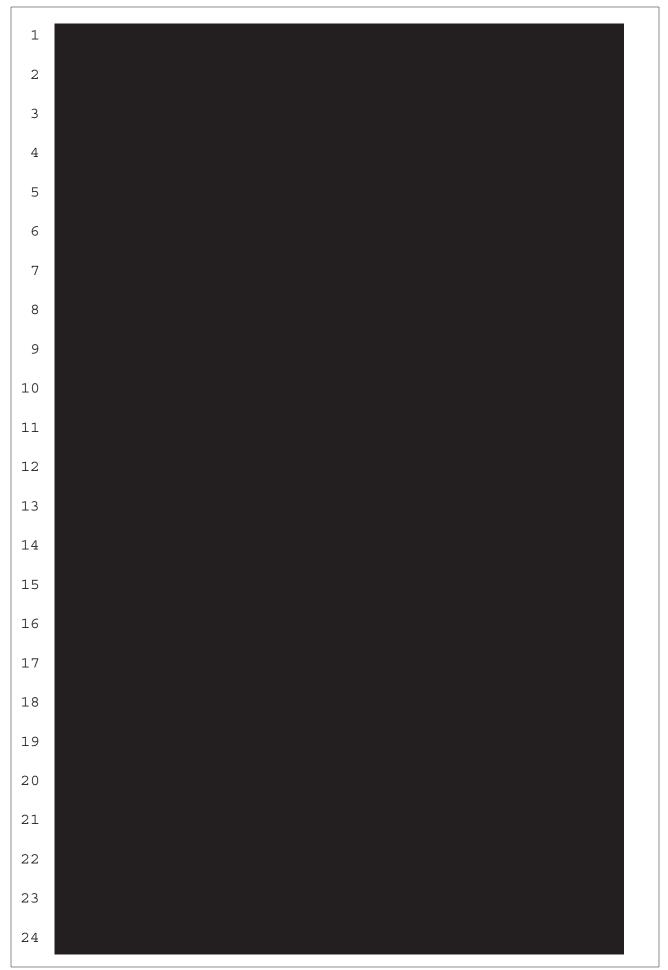


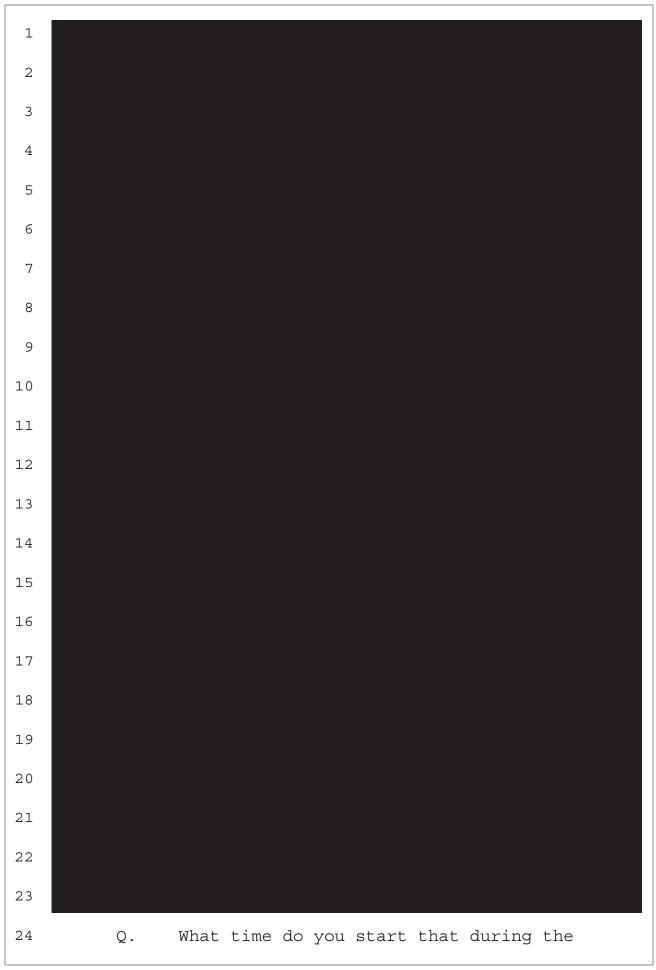






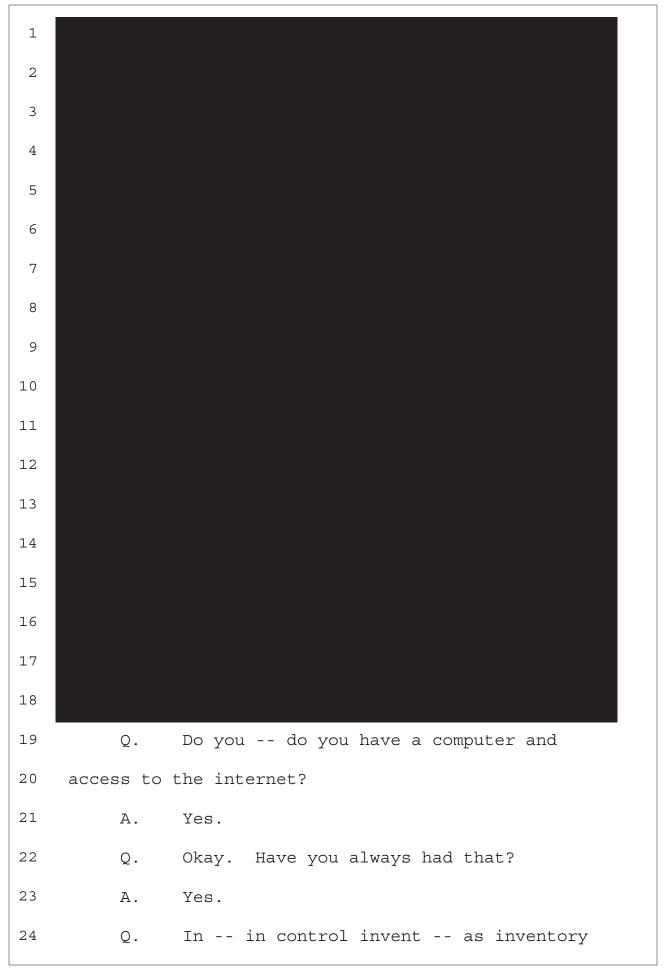






day? 1 It is at the end of the day. I do my -- I 2 do it at the end of the day. And what time is that? Q. 5 Α. After 2:00. 6 Q. A 2:00 p.m. 7 So, are there multiple shifts of pickers? 8 Α. Just one shift. 9 Ο. One shift. 10 And is it during the day? 11 Α. Yes. 12 Q. What time does that shift start? 13 5:30. Α. 14 Q. 5:30 a.m. 15 And that runs until what time? 16 Α. 1:30. 17 Q. 1:30. And what time do you come in? 18 19 6:00. Α. 20 Q. 6:00 a.m. 21 And how late do you work? 22 Α. Two o'clock. 23 Q. 2:00 p.m. 24 Two o'clock or sometimes 3:00. It depends Α.

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how late -- how many -- late -- how late I get
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                Right, okay.
                So -- so you come in at 6:00 and you start
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     counting the -- the -- at the time that the pickers
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     are done --
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          Α.
                Yes.
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                -- whether that's 1:30 or 1:00 or
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     whatever?
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          Α.
                Yes.
                Sometimes it might be 2:00 p.m. And then
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     you'll -- and then you'll count until you finish?
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          Α.
                Yes.
                And then you go home, is that right?
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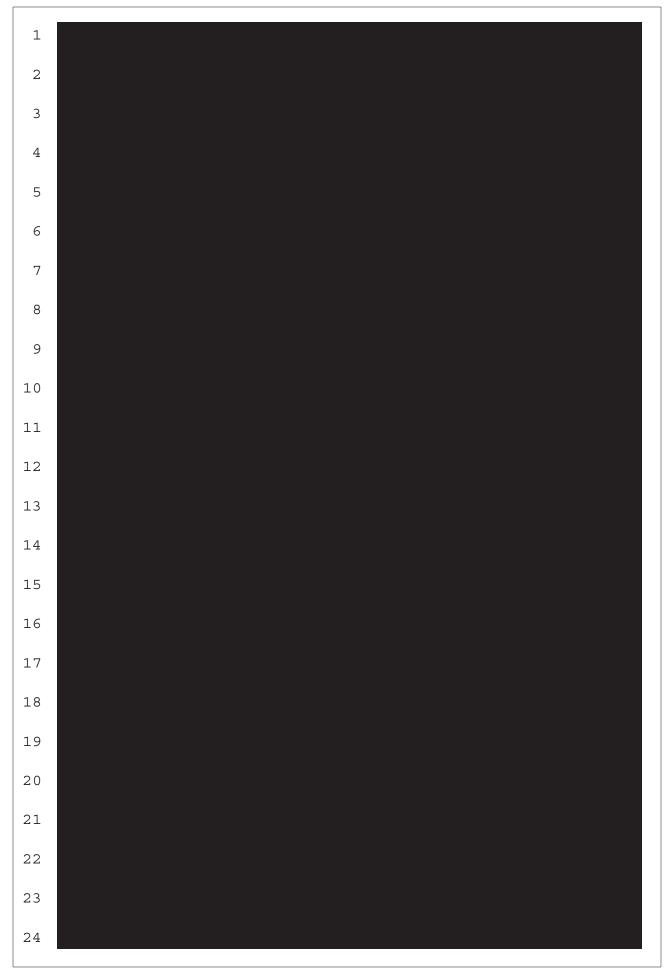


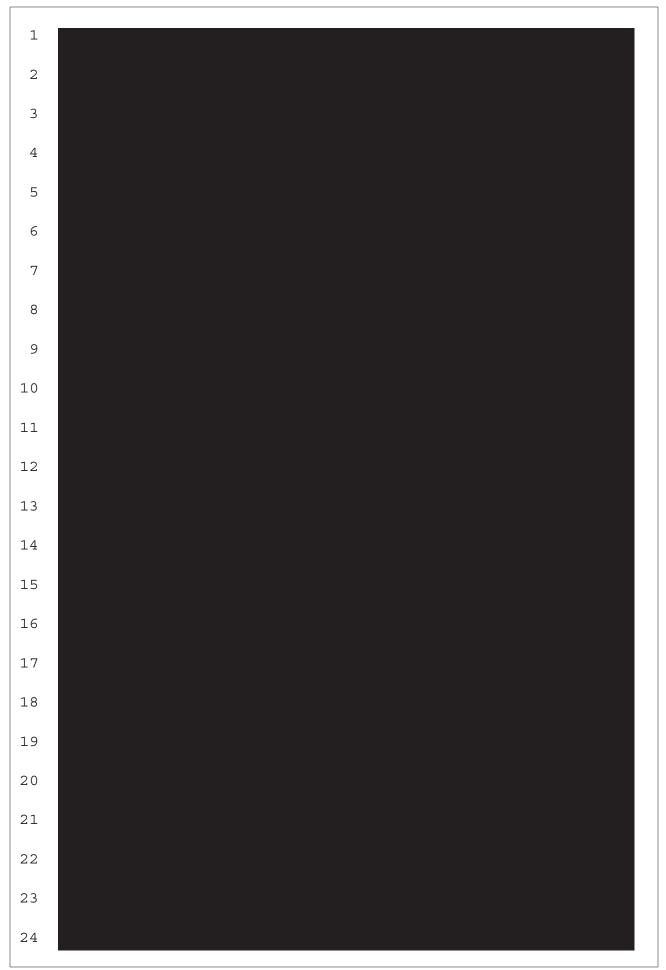
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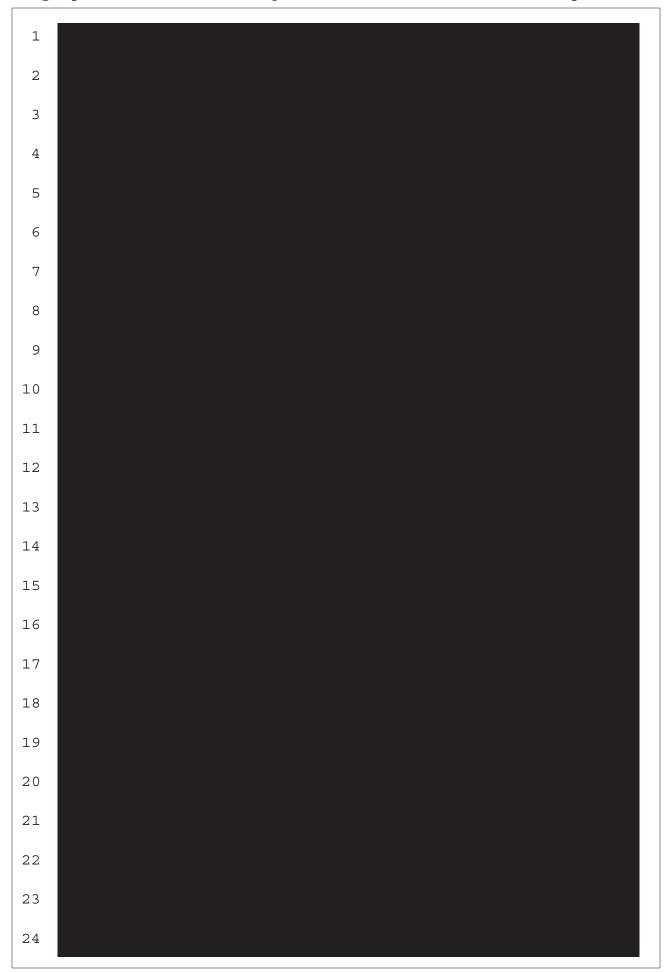
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          Q.
                Okay. How big is the plant, I mean, or
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          Α.
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                Is it -- is it bigger than your house?
          Q.
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          Α.
                Yes.
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                Okay. How many -- how -- how much bigger
          Q.
     than your house?
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                I don't know. I can't describe it.
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          Α.
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                Is it bigger than a football field?
          Q.
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          Α.
                I'm on the other side of the building, so
21
     I'm not sure the full length of it.
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          Q.
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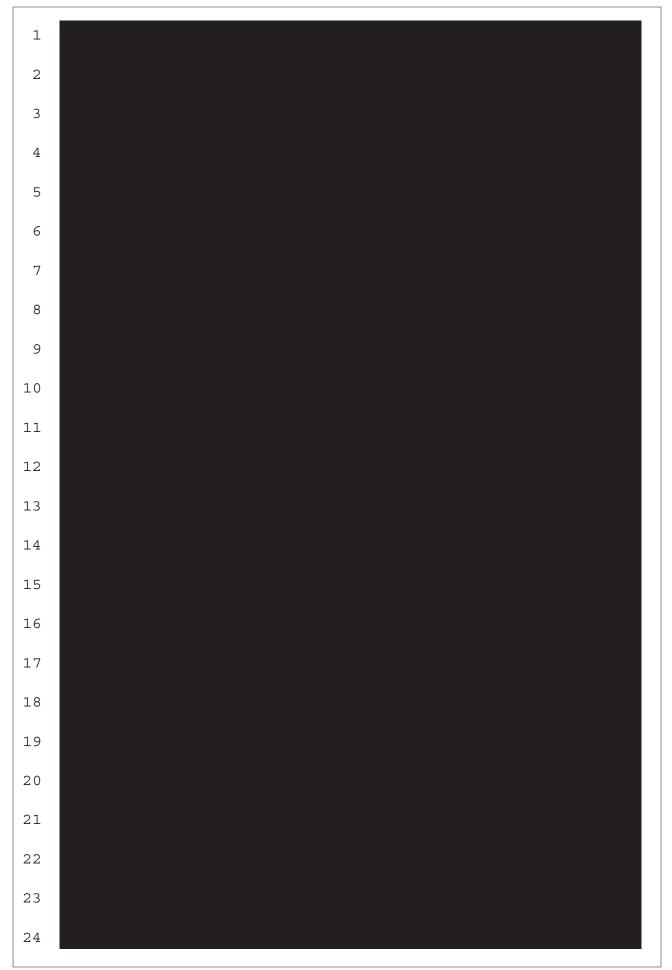
- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. How long does it take you to get
- from your office, sometimes, to the product that you
- 4 are trying to locate?
- 5 A. Maybe five -- maybe five minutes depending
- 6 where it is.
- 7 Q. Okay. What I'm trying to get in terms of
- 8 just a general sense, it's a pretty large building,
- 9 correct?
- 10 A. Correct.
- 11 Q. It is not a tiny place?
- 12 A. No.
- Q. And because in that building you -- CVS
- 14 stocks all of the products that they sell, is that
- 15 right?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 18 BY MR. ELSNER:
- 19 Q. Everything from toilet paper to
- 20 toothpaste, is that right?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. To hair products and shaving products?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. Food, is food stocked --

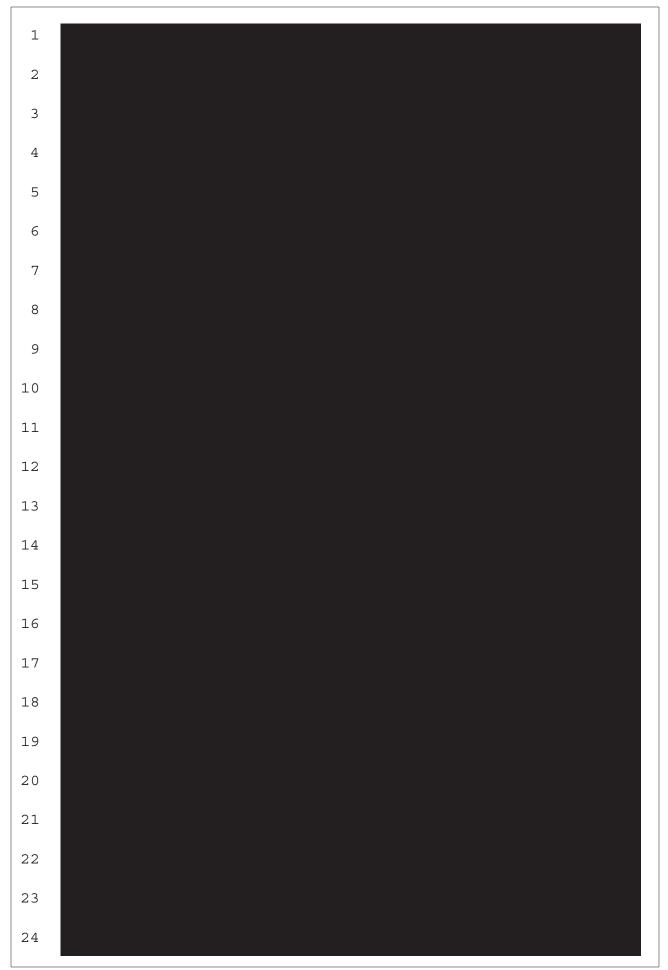
distributed from there as well? 1 2 Α. Certain -- some foods. 3 Some foods. Snacks like pretzels and --Q. Α. Yes. -- chips and those kinds of things? 5 Q. Yes. I don't think chips, but candy. 6 Α. 7 Ο. Candy, okay. 8 And -- and CVS sells all sorts of other products, like toys and games. Is that also stocked 9 10 there? 11 Α. Not -- no, not in our building. 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

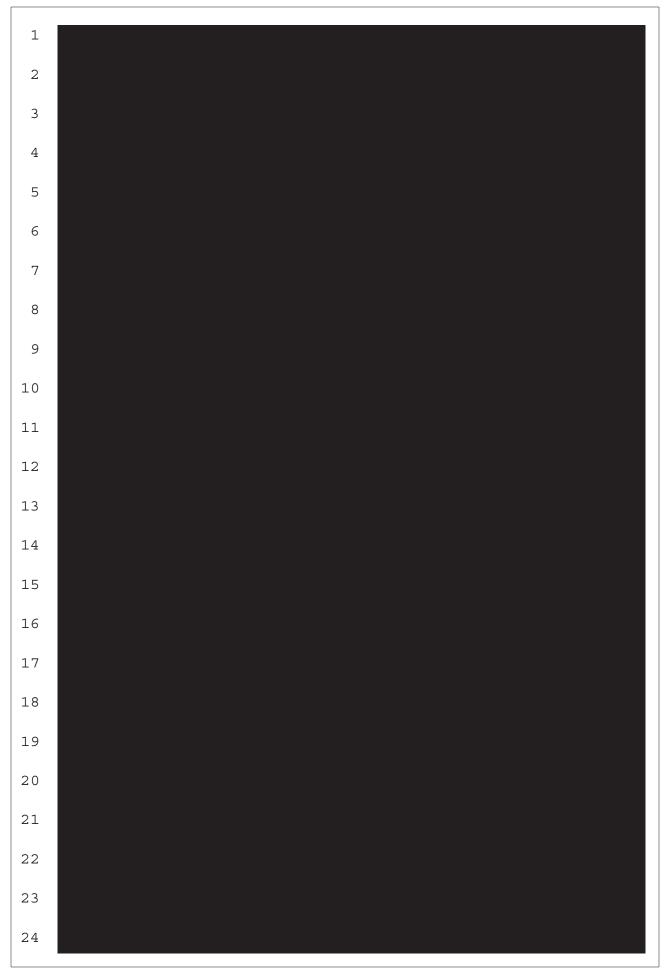


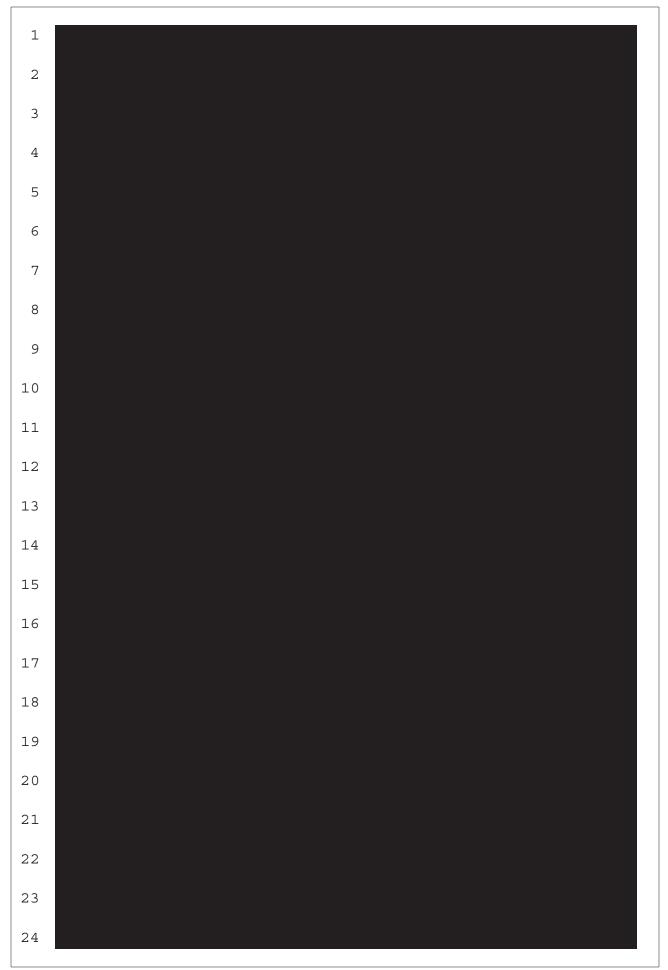


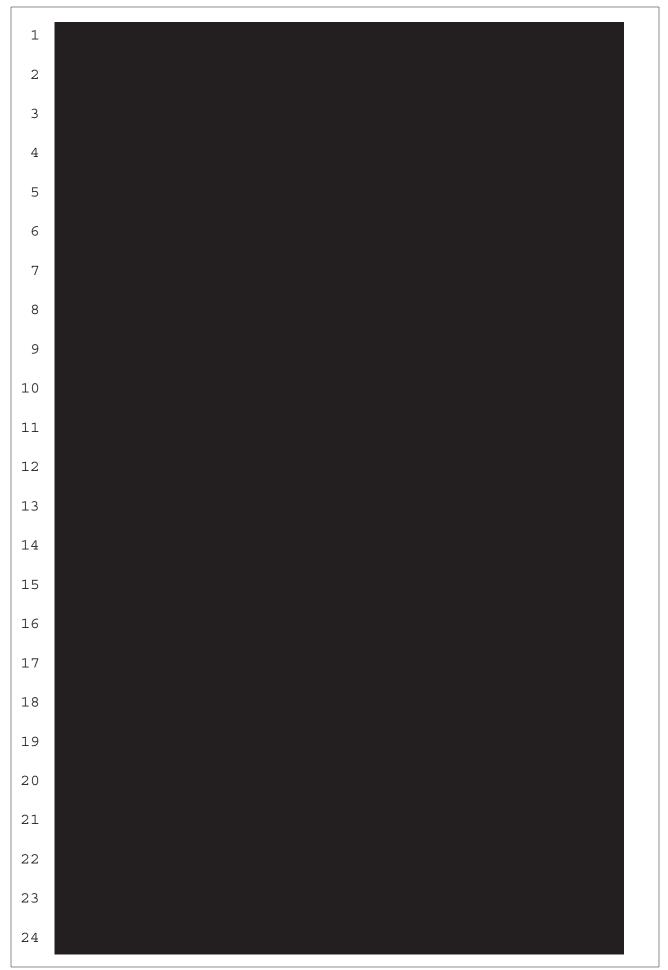


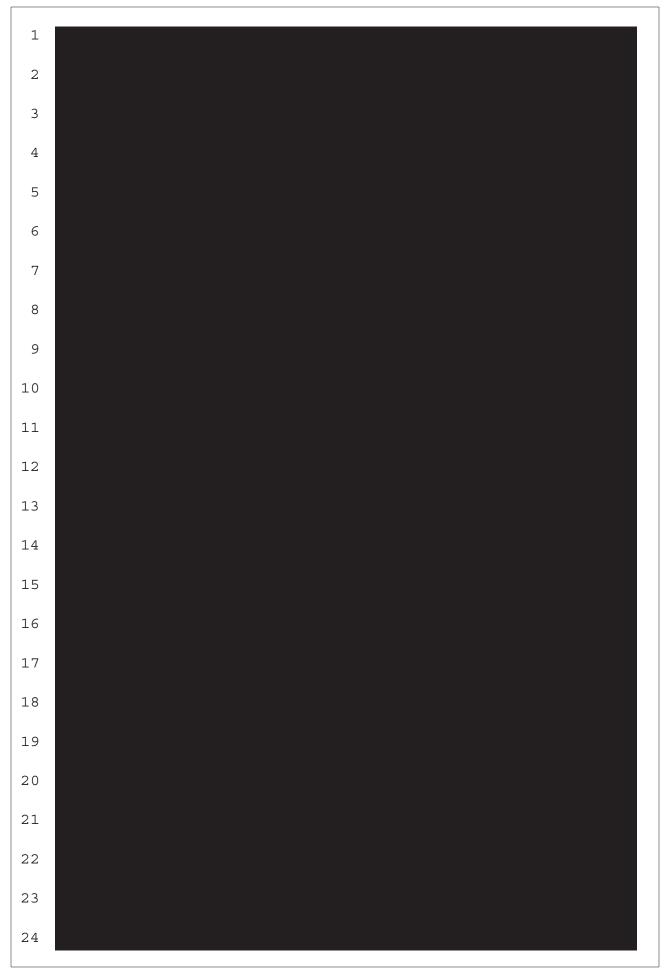


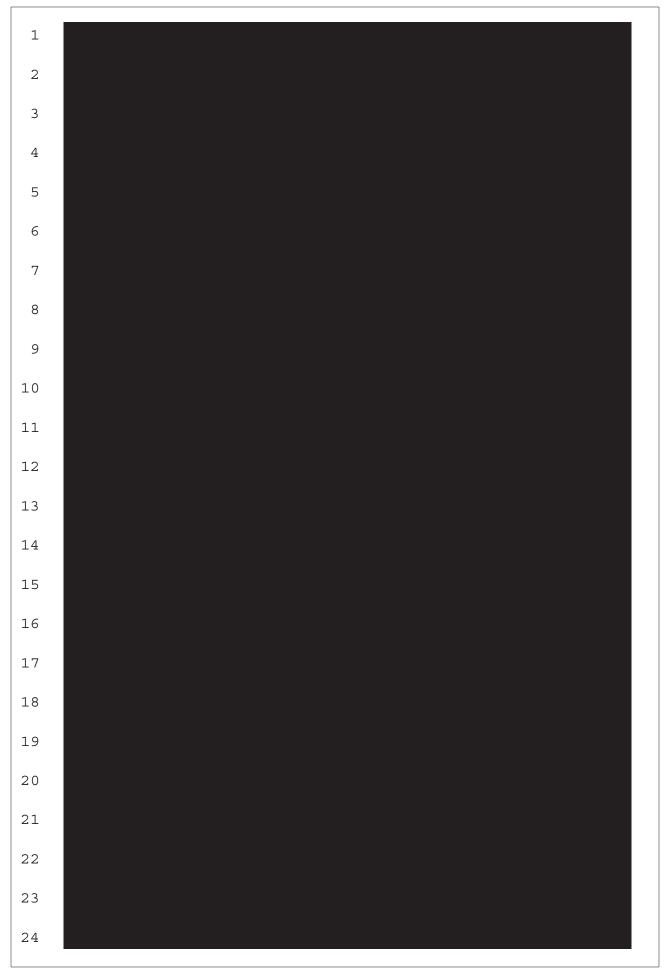


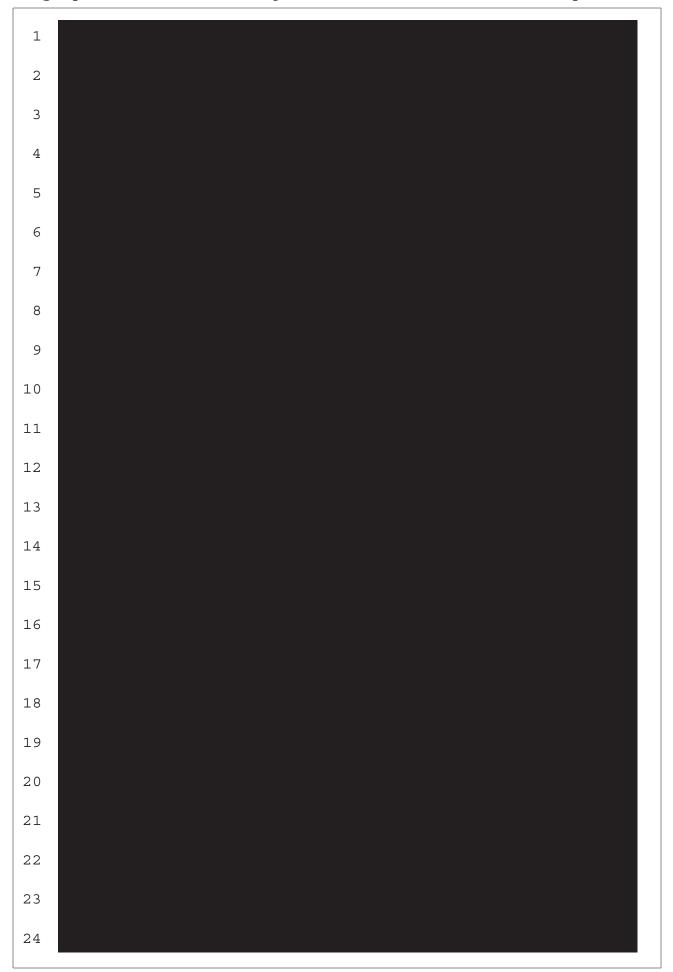






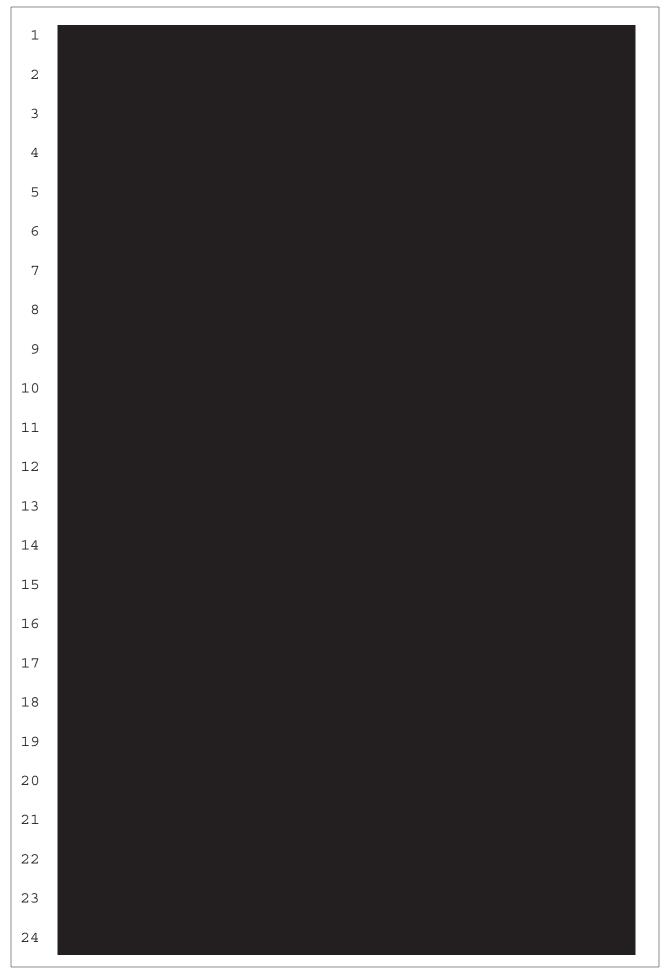


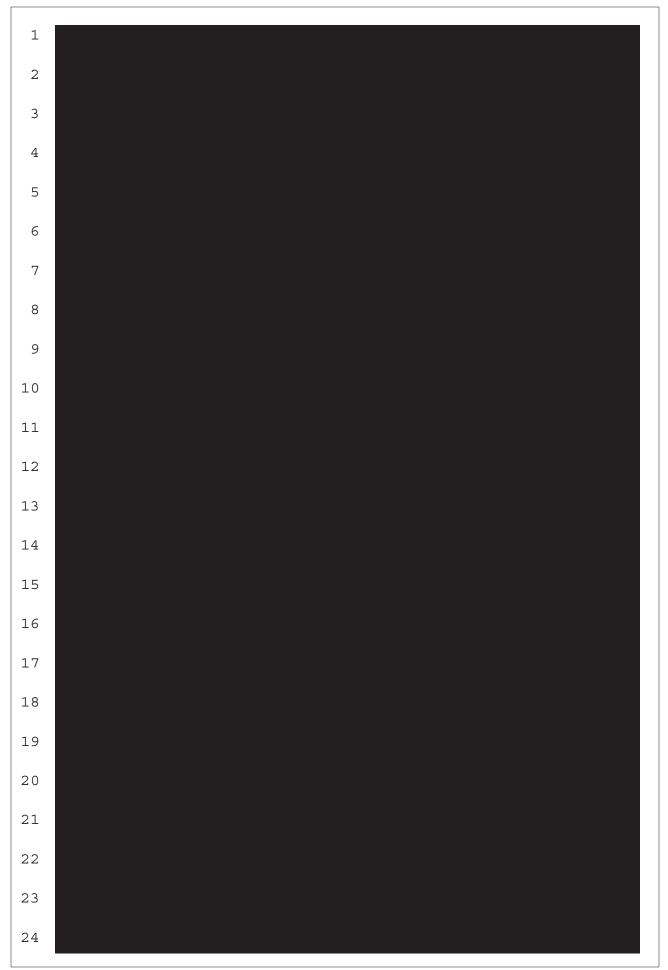


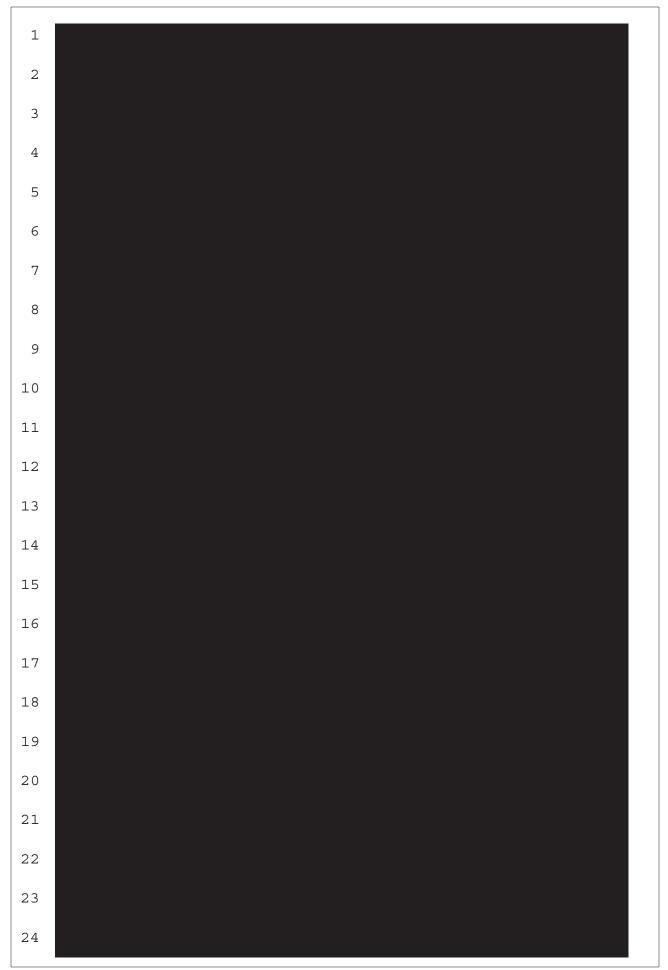


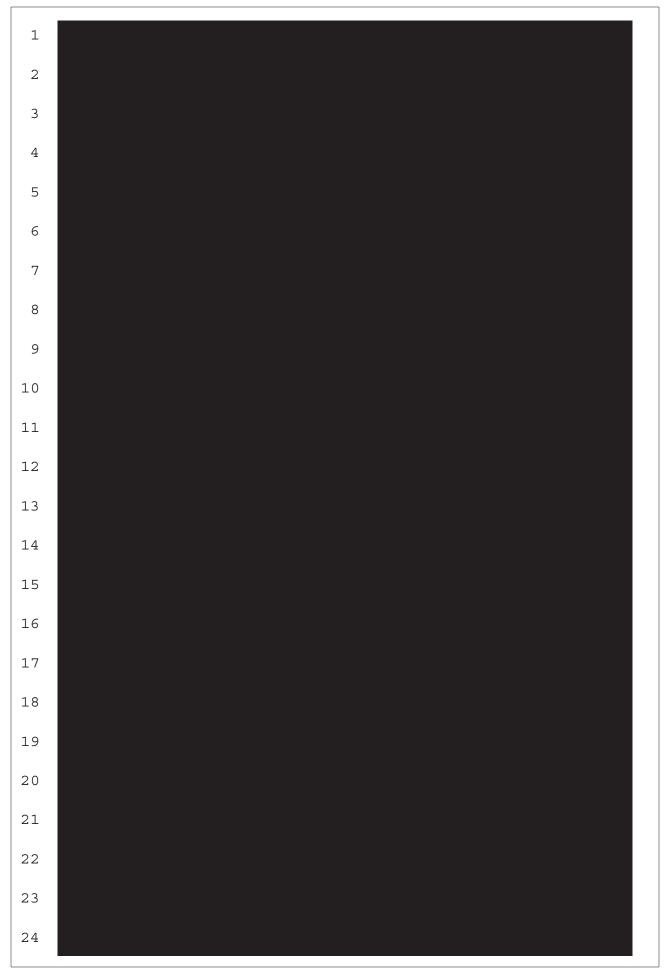
- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. Is that right? Okay.
- Now, when that system was in place, when
- 4 they finished all of the picks for a particular
- 5 pharmacy, was then that -- was -- were those picks
- 6 double checked?
- 7 MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 8 BY THE WITNESS:
- 9 A. I wasn't back there in the cage at that
- 10 time, so I don't know.
- 11 BY MR. ELSNER:
- Q. Okay. Well, what about five, six years
- 13 ago?
- MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 15 BY MR. ELSNER:
- Q. When you were in -- where you were in
- inven control -- inventory control for controlled
- 18 substances?
- 19 A. Yes, then --
- MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- 22 A. Yes, then they did check it.
- BY MR. ELSNER:
- Q. They did check it.

- And was it -- was it again one of the
- 2 pickers who was working as a checker, too?
- 3 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. And how would they check it?
- 5 A. I don't understand the question.
- 6 Q. So when the picker brings the -- brings
- 7 the tote with all of the items that they've picked for
- 8 that particular pharmacy's order, when they bring that
- 9 to the checker, how did the checker check it?
- 10 Did they pull out each one and -- and --
- 11 and -- and check it against what?
- 12 A. The order.
- Do you mean when they on -- on the light
- 14 system or the voice system?
- 15 Q. The light system. I'm sorry.
- 16 A. I wasn't back there when they did the
- 17 voice system, so I'm not for sure how they checked it
- 18 then.
- 19 Q. Did you mean you weren't back there when
- 20 they did the light system?
- 21 A. Not in -- not in the control.
- Q. Okay. You just said "voice system," so I
- just -- I wanted to make sure that I -- that the
- 24 record is clear.









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          MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
     BY MR. ELSNER:
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                So the whole day they are spending there
    from 5:30 in the -- the morning until about 1:30 in
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    the afternoon, I assume they get an hour lunch, is
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    that right?
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                Yes.
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             But the rest of the time they are either
    picking or checking.
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                Now, is there any kind of a evaluation of
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    how a picker does their job?
          MR. HYNES: Objection to the form.
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    BY THE WITNESS:
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                I don't know.
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    BY MR. ELSNER:
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You don't know.

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Do you know whether they're -- whether 1 they are -- they are rated or evaluated as to 2 3 accuracy? MR. HYNES: Objection form. 5 BY THE WITNESS: A. I don't know. 6 7 BY MR. ELSNER: 8 Q. Okay. Who -- who does the picker report 9 to? 10 MR. HYNES: Objection to form. BY THE WITNESS: 11 Their supervisor. 12 Α. BY MR. ELSNER: 13 14 Q. Yes. And who is that? 15 Right now it is Dennis Wat -- White --Α. 16 Weaver. 17 Q. Weaver. 18 And what's Mr. Weaver's title? 19 Supervisor, Rx supervisor. Α. 20 Q. Rx supervisor, is that what you said? 21 Α. Um-hum. 22 Q. Okay. 23 Α. Pharmacy supervisor. 24 Pharmacy supervisor. O.

1 Who was it before Mr. Weaver? 2 Α. Allen Hanson. 3 Q. How do you spell Henson, H-e --Α. Hanson. Hanson, H-a-n-s-o-n, I believe. 5 Q. Okay. And he also was a pharmacy supervisor? 6 7 Α. Yes. Okay. And before Mr. Hanson? 8 Q. 9 Α. Dan Deaton. Okay. Also the pharmacy supervisor? 10 Q. 11 Α. Yes. And before Mr. Deaton? 12 Q. Robert Richardson. 13 Α. 14 All right. Also the pharmacy supervisor? Q. 15 Α. Yes. And before Mr. Richardson? 16 Ο. 17 That I don't know. Α. Do you remember a -- a Gary Lamberth? 18 Q. 19 Α. Yes. 20 Q. Was he a pharmacy supervisor? 21 Α. Pharmacy manager. 22 Q. Pharmacy manager. 23 So he didn't directly manage -- he was not a -- a pharmacy supervisor that would have managed the 24

- pickers, correct? 1 2 Α. Not at the -- not at the time I was up 3 there. Ο. Okay. Not at... 5 Now, do you remember any of the other pharmacy supervisors that managed the pickers? 6 7 Α. That's all I remember. MR. ELSNER: Can we go off the record real 8 9 quick? 10 MR. HYNES: Yeah. Take a quick break? 11 MR. ELSNER: Sure. THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at 12 13 9:30 a.m. 14 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had 15 from 9:30 to 9:38 a.m.) 16 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record at 9:38 a.m. 17 18 BY MR. ELSNER: 19 Ms. Hinkle, before we broke you were giving me a list of the various people who supervised 20 21 the pickers in the -- in the drug control room at CVS. 22 That was not part of your responsibility,
- 23 is that right?
- 24 A. Yes.

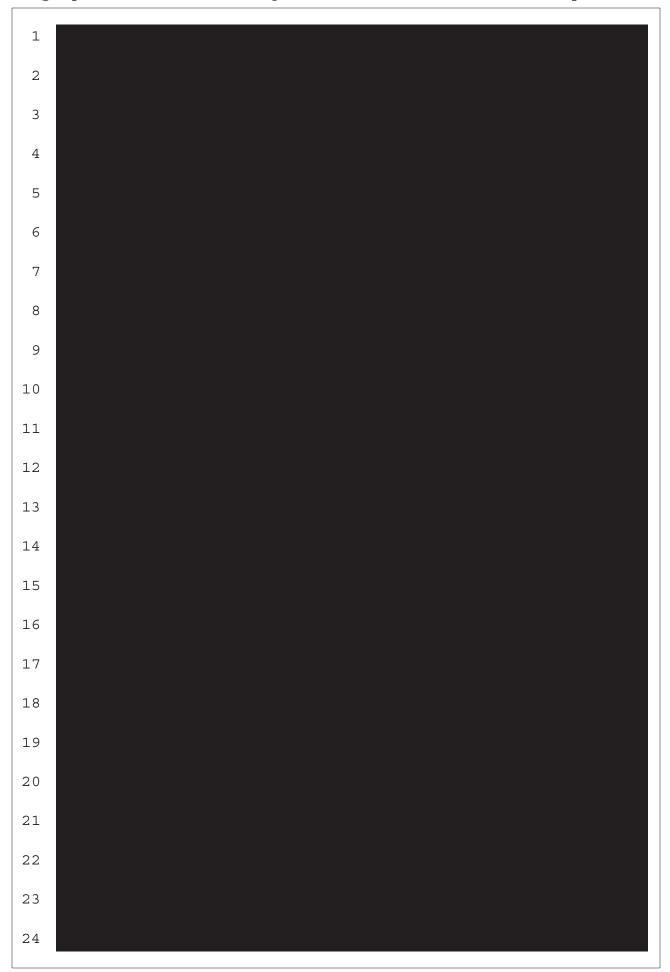
- 1 Q. Yes, it was not part of your --
- 2 A. It was not part of my responsibility.
- Q. Okay. And who supervised the stockers in
- 4 the control room?
- 5 A. The same supervisor.
- 6 Q. The same supervisor.
- 7 So you were not responsible for
- 8 supervising them either, correct?
- 9 A. Uhn-uhn.
- 10 Q. Okay. Who is your supervisor?
- 11 A. Jimmy Sutton.
- Q. And what -- do you know what Jimmy
- 13 Sutton's title is?
- 14 A. Inventory control supervisor.
- Q. Okay. Now, is he responsible for all
- inventory control at the Indianapolis distribution
- 17 center?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. So that includes everything from toilet
- 20 paper to control drugs?
- 21 A. I don't know.
- Q. Okay. What department do you and
- 23 Mr. Sutton work in?
- A. I work in the Rx department. His -- his

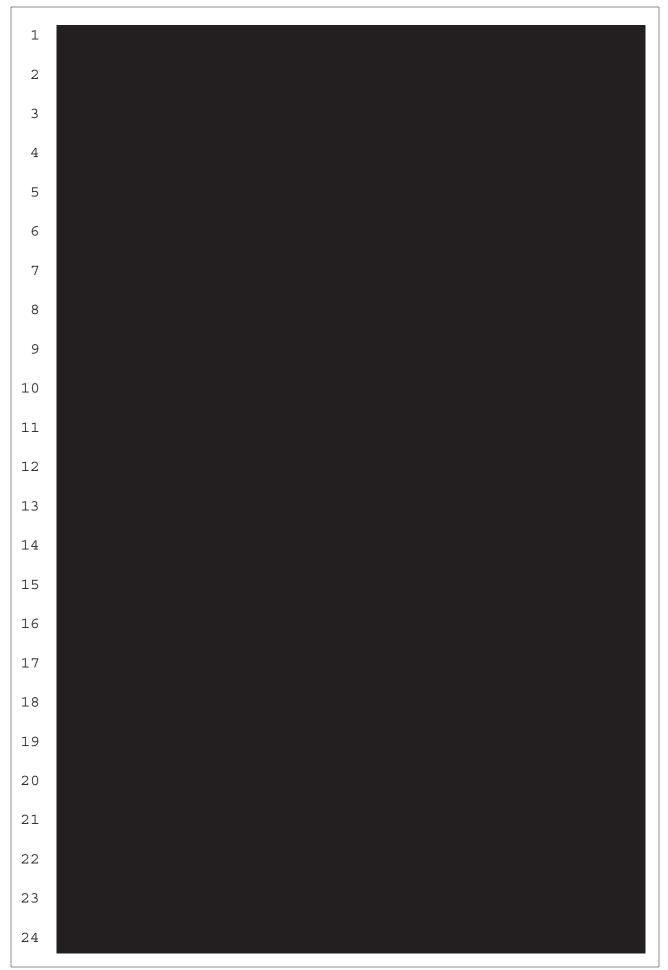
- 1 office is in the upper part of the building.
- Q. Okay. Is he all -- so he is not in the Rx
- 3 department?
- 4 A. No.
- 5 Q. Okay. Do you have any -- anyone who
- 6 reports to you directly?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. Can you name for me some of the pickers
- 9 who worked in the control room between 2006 and 2014?
- Do you remember any of their names?
- 11 A. Deb Foster.
- Q. Okay. Now, Deb Foster, is she still
- working at CVS or no?
- 14 A. She retired.
- 15 Q. She retired.
- When did she retire?
- 17 A. Last December.
- 18 Q. Okay. Anyone else?
- 19 A. Ellen Wilson.
- Q. Okay. Did you say Ellen?
- 21 A. Ellen Wilson.
- Q. Ellen Wilson, okay.
- Is she still working at CVS?
- 24 A. Yes.

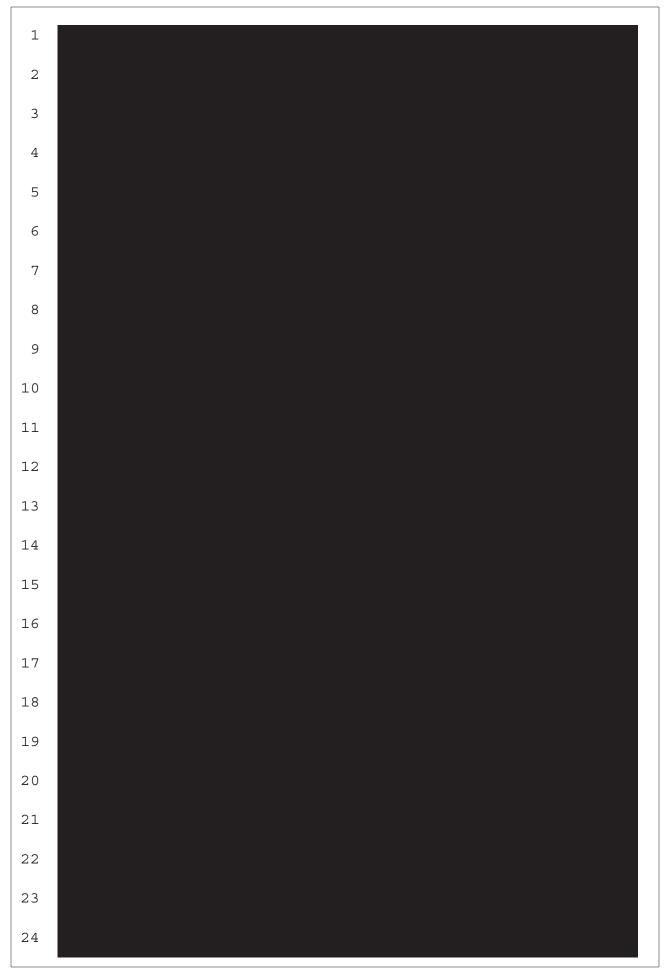
- 1 Q. In the same job?
- 2 A. A different job.
- Q. A different job.
- 4 What does she do now?
- 5 A. She is IC clerk now, inventory control
- 6 clerk now.
- 7 Q. Inventory control clerk, okay.
- 8 All right. Anyone else?
- 9 A. Lori Huddleston.
- 10 Q. Is she still working at CVS?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. What position is she in now?
- 13 A. She works in the control cage.
- 14 Q. The control cage.
- 15 Also as a picker?
- 16 A. Picker, yes.
- 17 Q. Okay. Anyone else?
- 18 A. In 2006. That's all I can remember from
- 19 2006.
- Q. Now, I said 2006 through 2014, about four
- 21 years ago.
- 22 A. The people -- there are some new ones that
- 23 just got hired.
- Q. Recently?

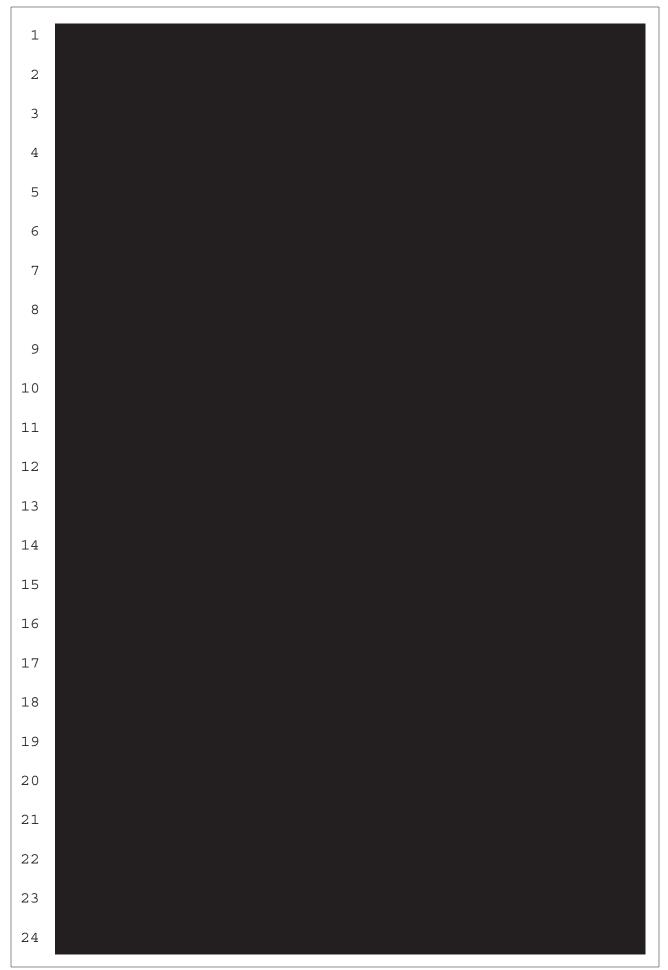
- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. I'm not as interested in them.
- When you say got -- "recent," do you mean
- 4 in the last year or two?
- 5 A. Like six months.
- 6 O. Six months.
- 7 Is there a lot of turnover in the control
- 8 cage?
- 9 MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 10 BY THE WITNESS:
- 11 A. I don't know. I don't know. A lot of
- 12 people retires. A lot of people are retiring.
- 13 BY MR. ELSNER:
- Q. A lot of people retire?
- 15 A. Um-hum.
- 16 Q. I guess what I'm trying to get at is,
- 17 is -- is it fair to say that of the pickers in the
- 18 control room, that they need to be -- we need to find
- 19 a new picker, you know, once a year or once every six
- 20 months or once every five years?
- MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 22 BY THE WITNESS:
- 23 A. I don't know. I really don't.
- 24 BY MR. ELSNER:

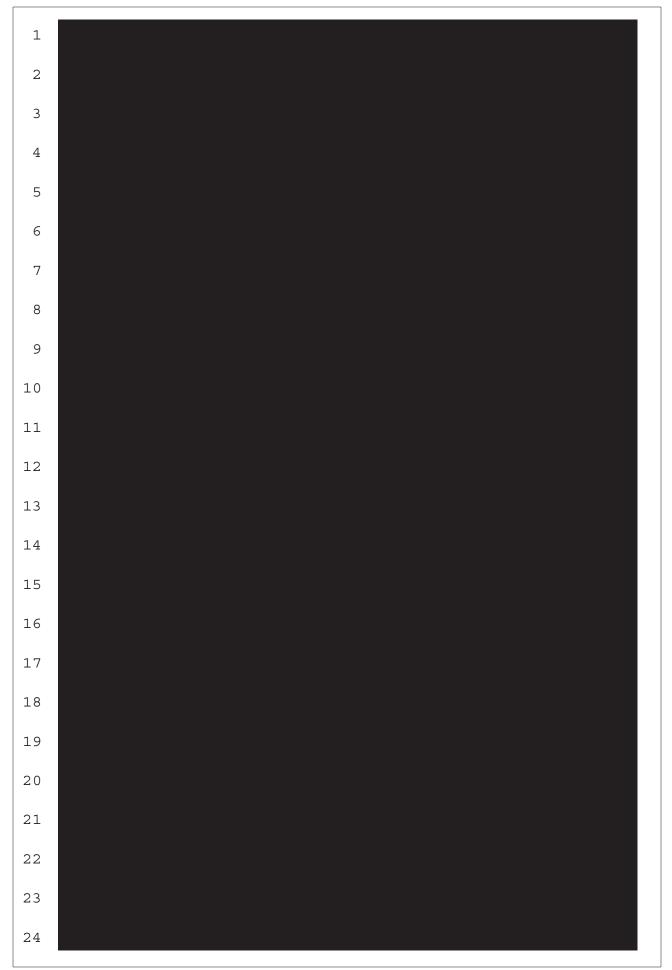
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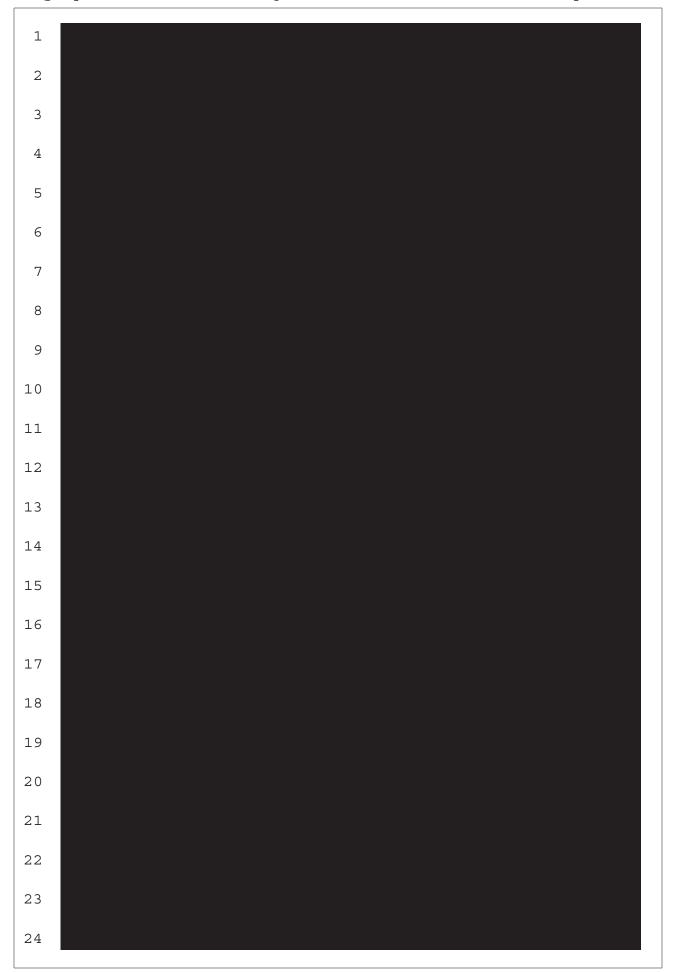


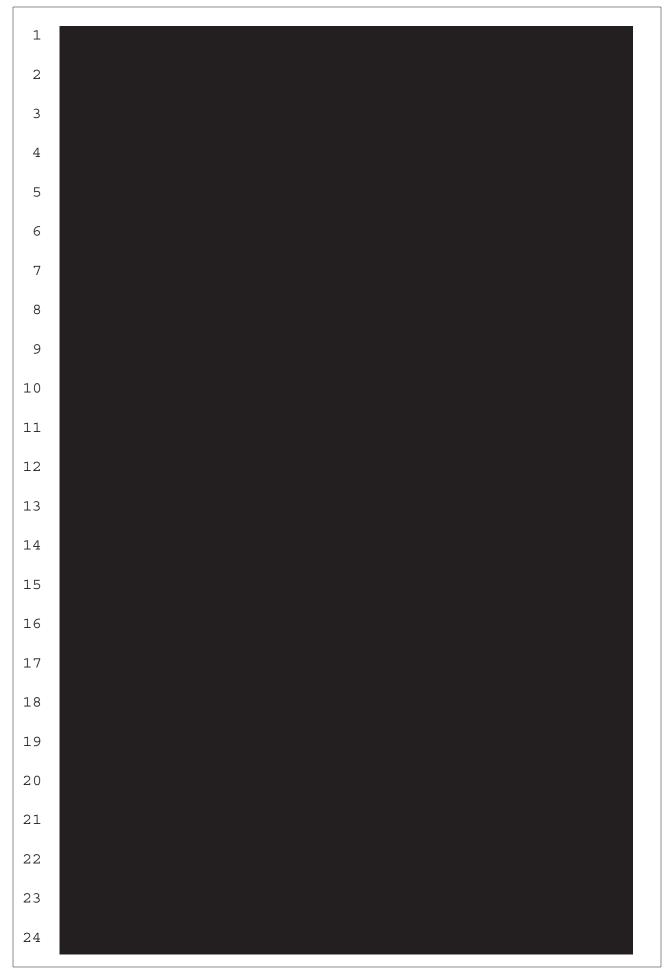


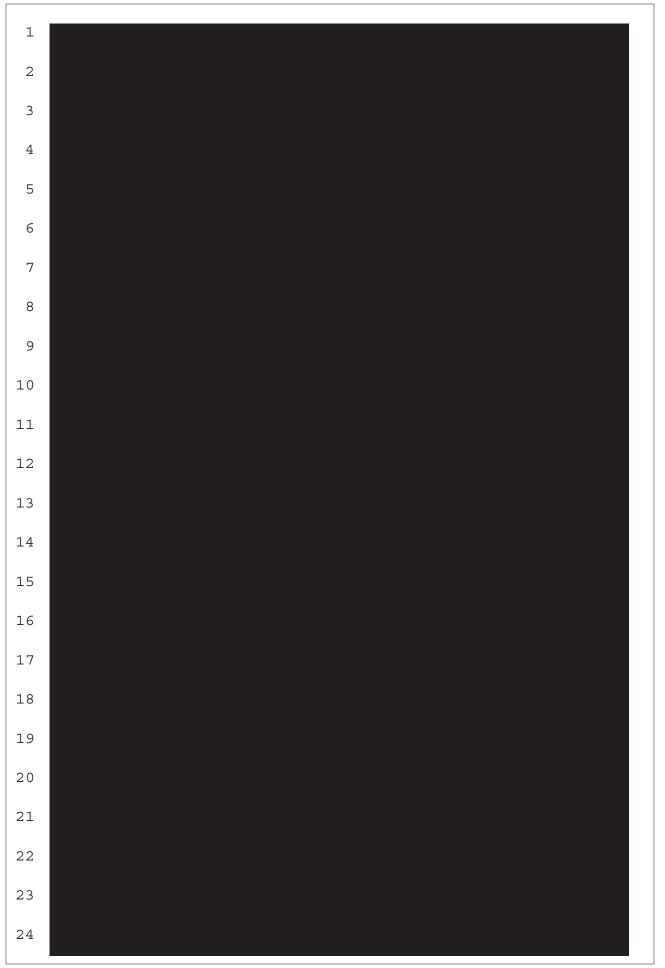


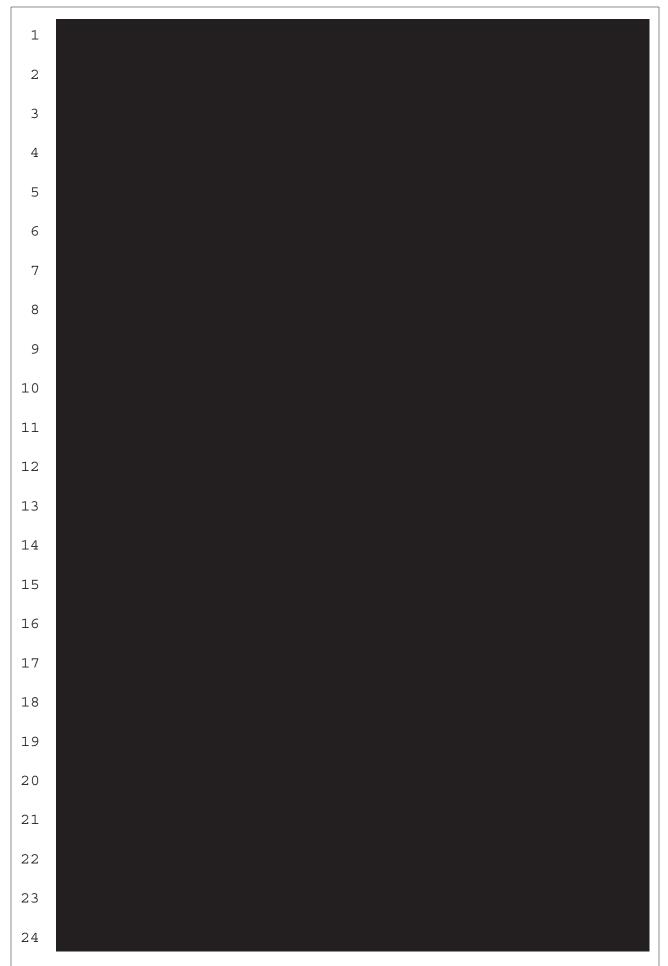


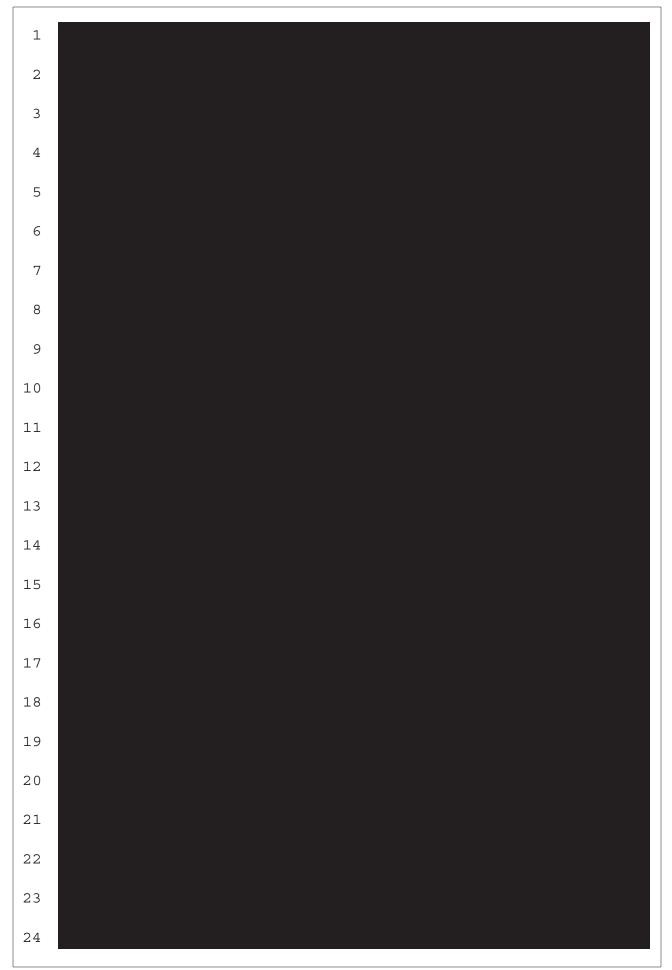


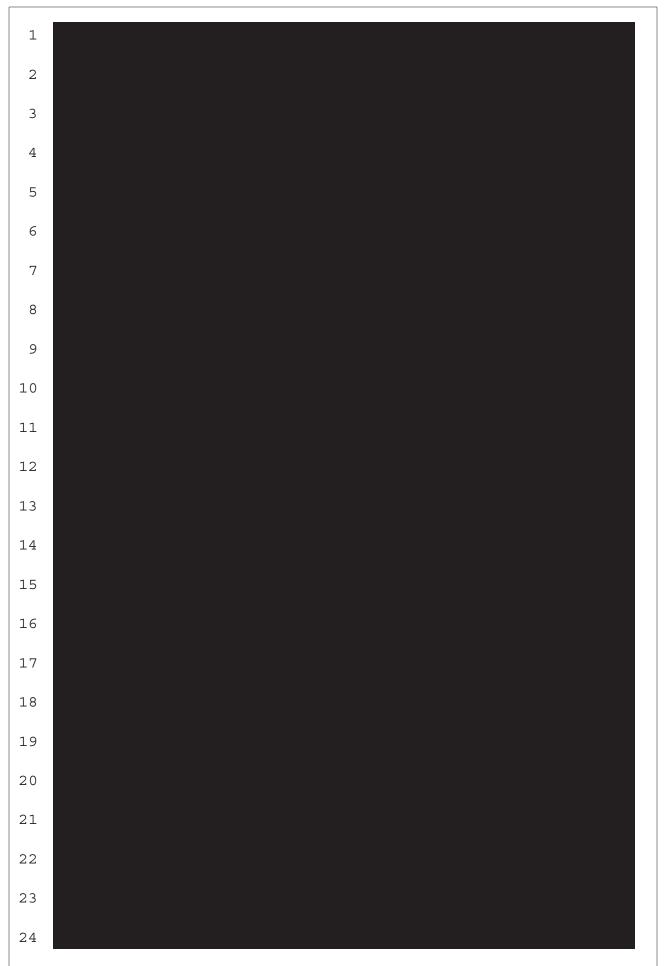


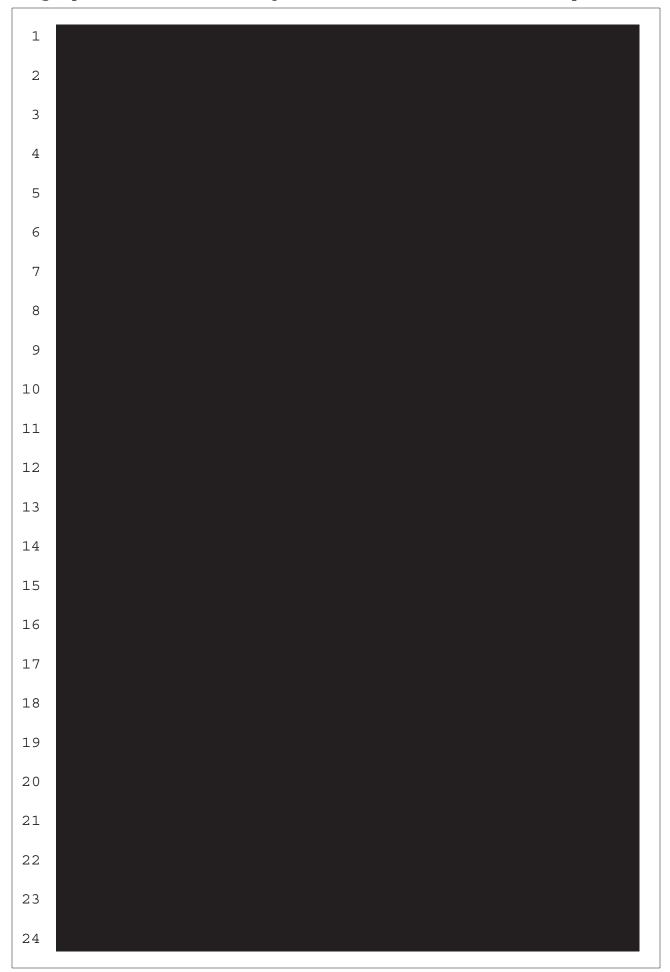


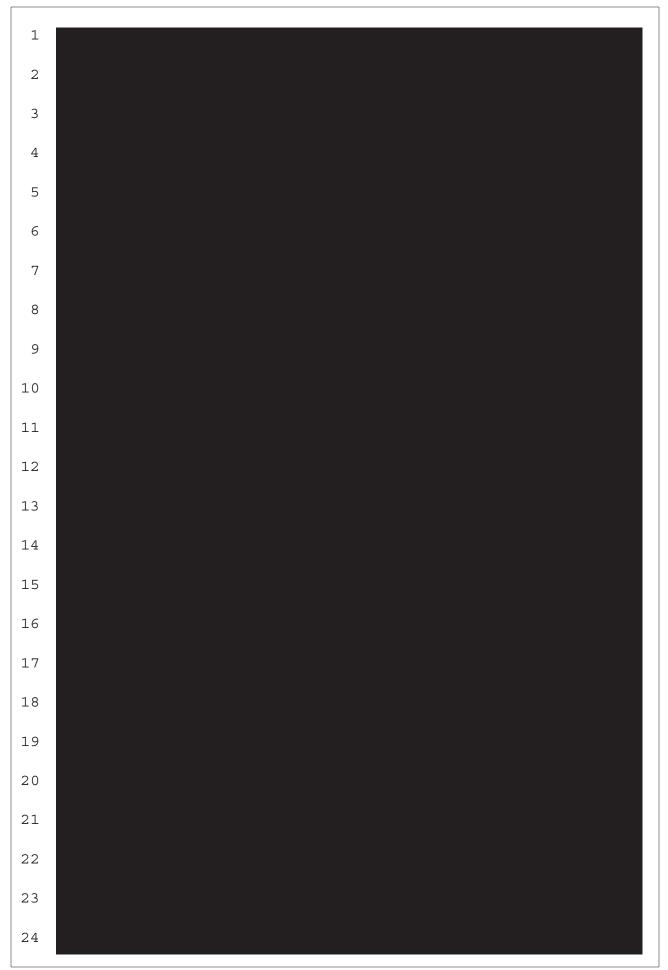


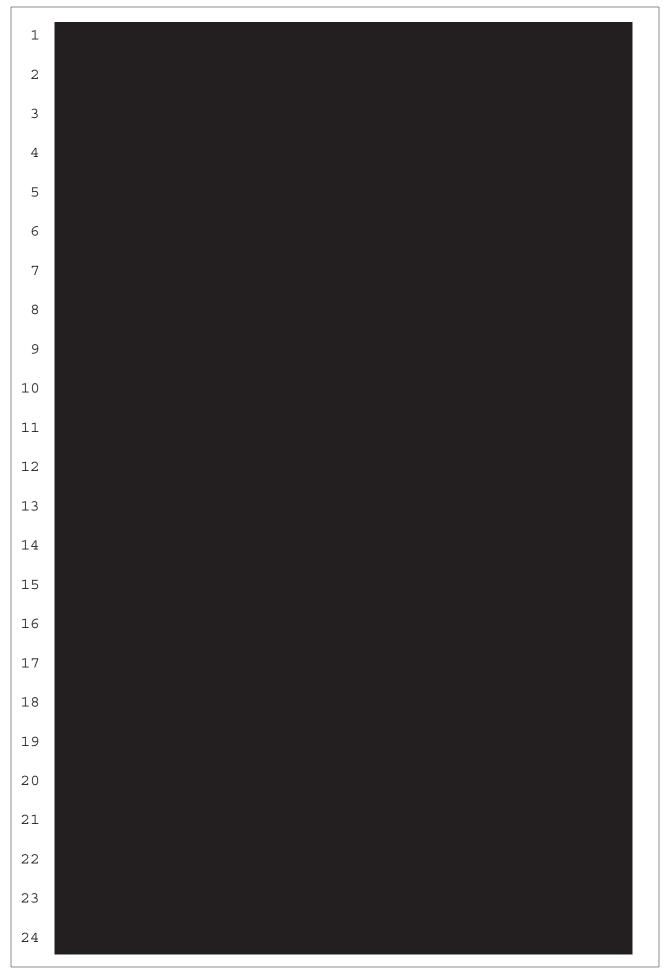


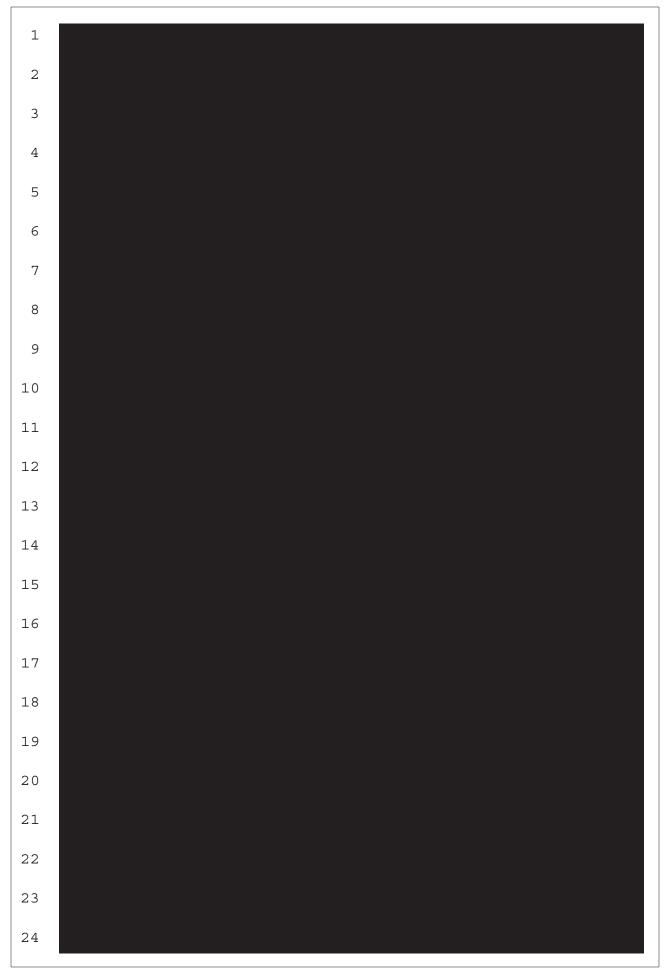


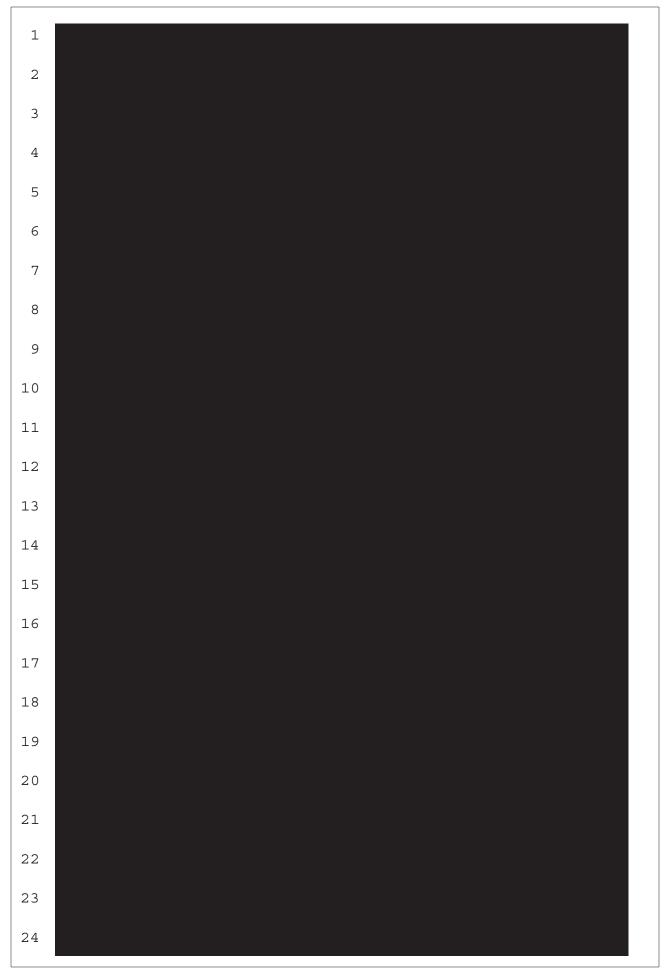


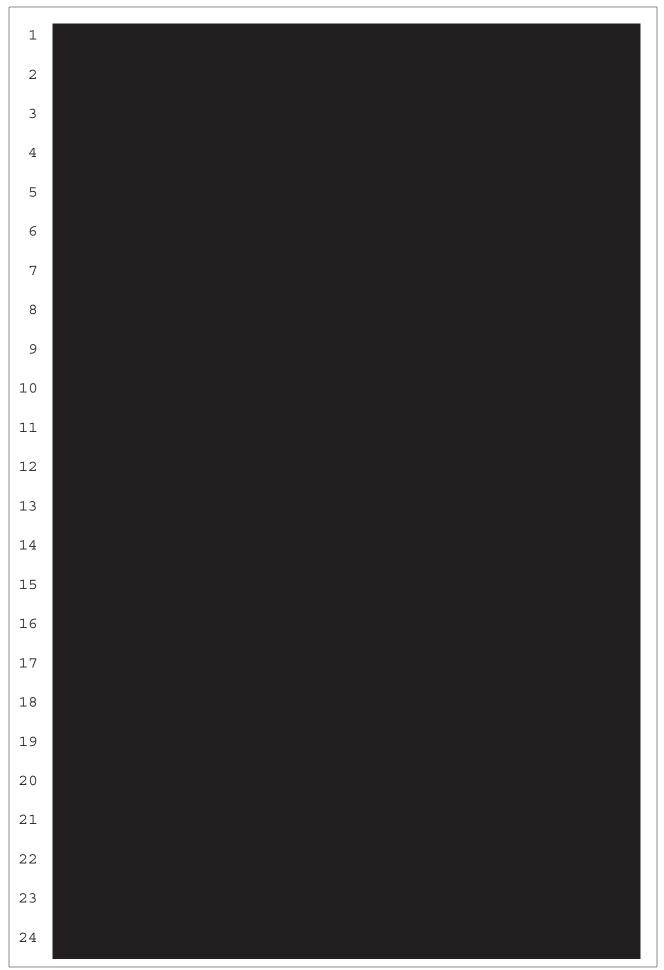


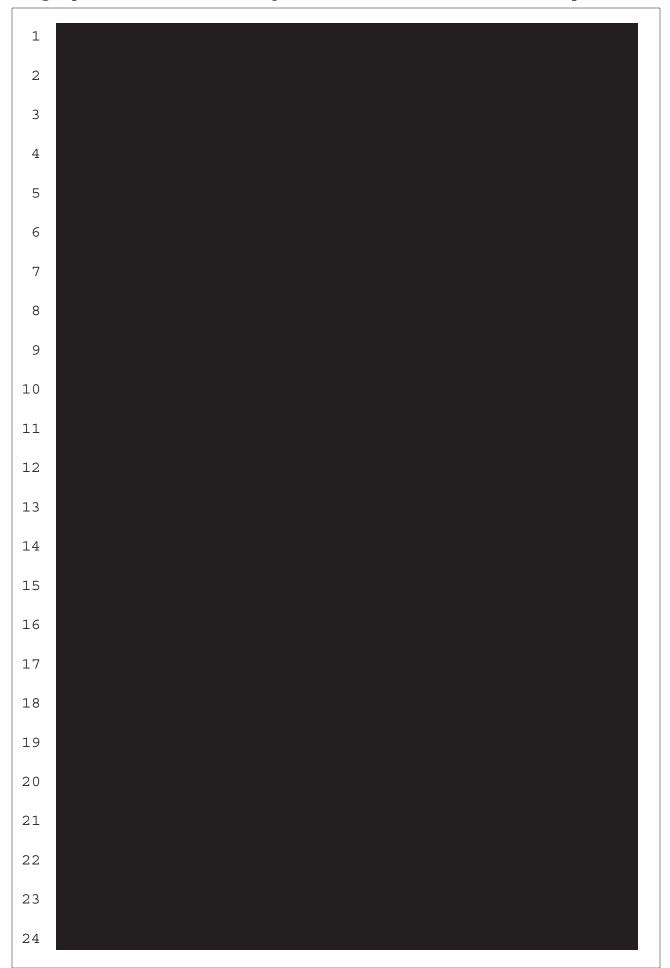


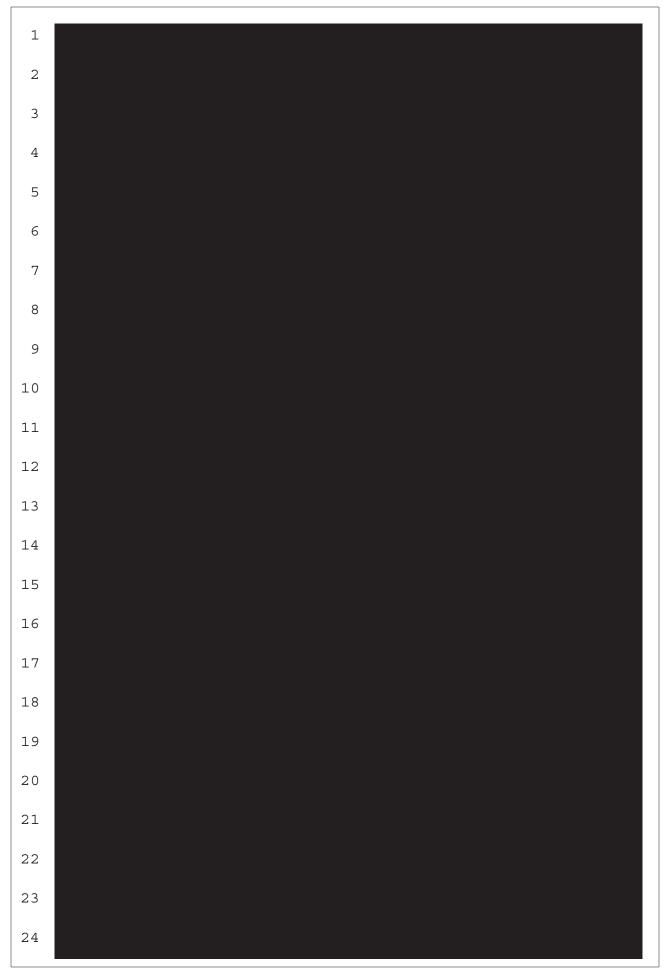


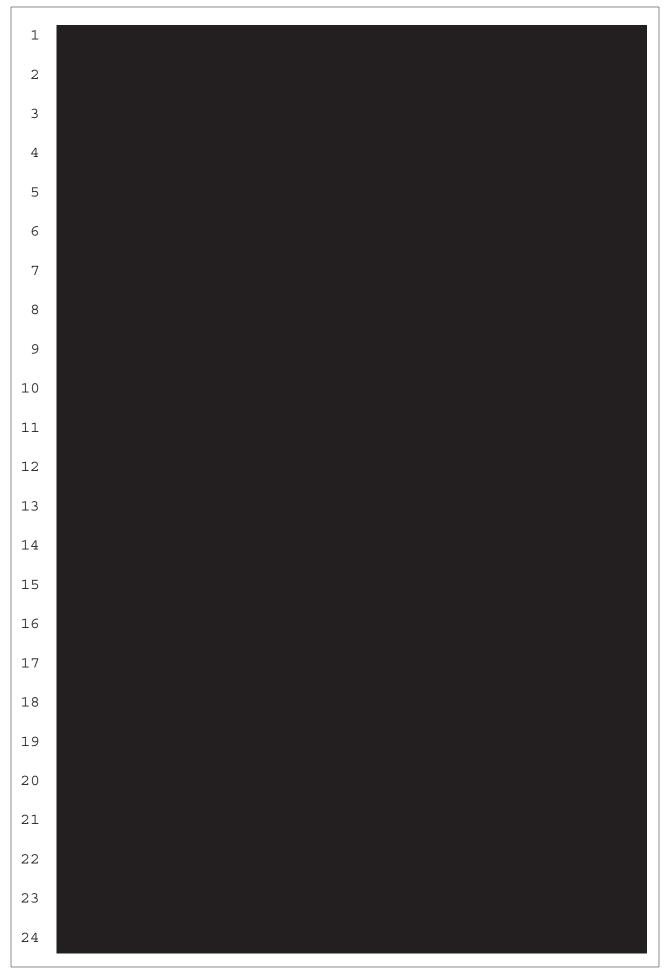


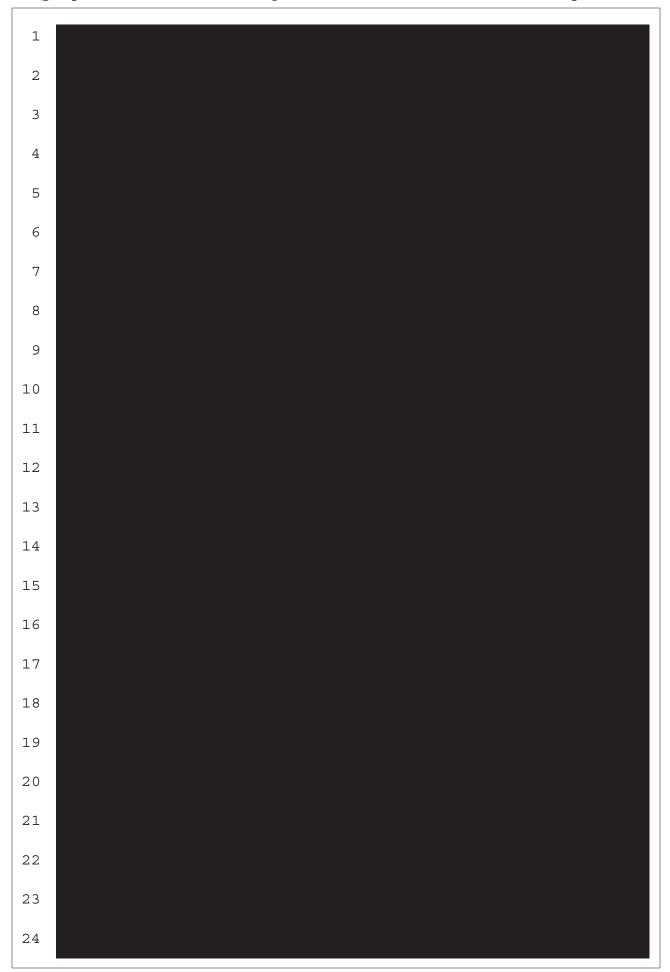


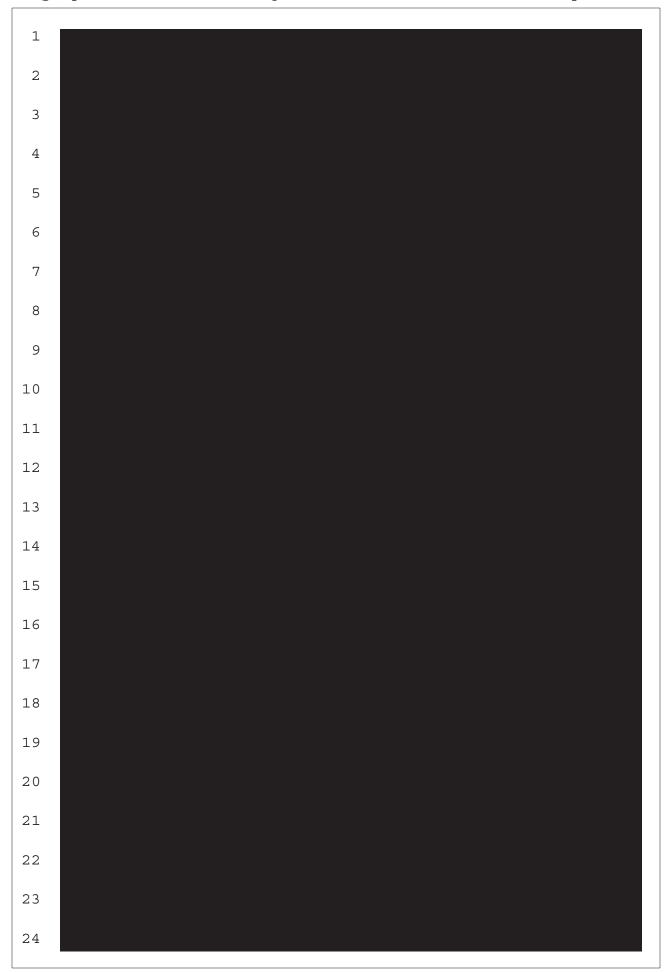


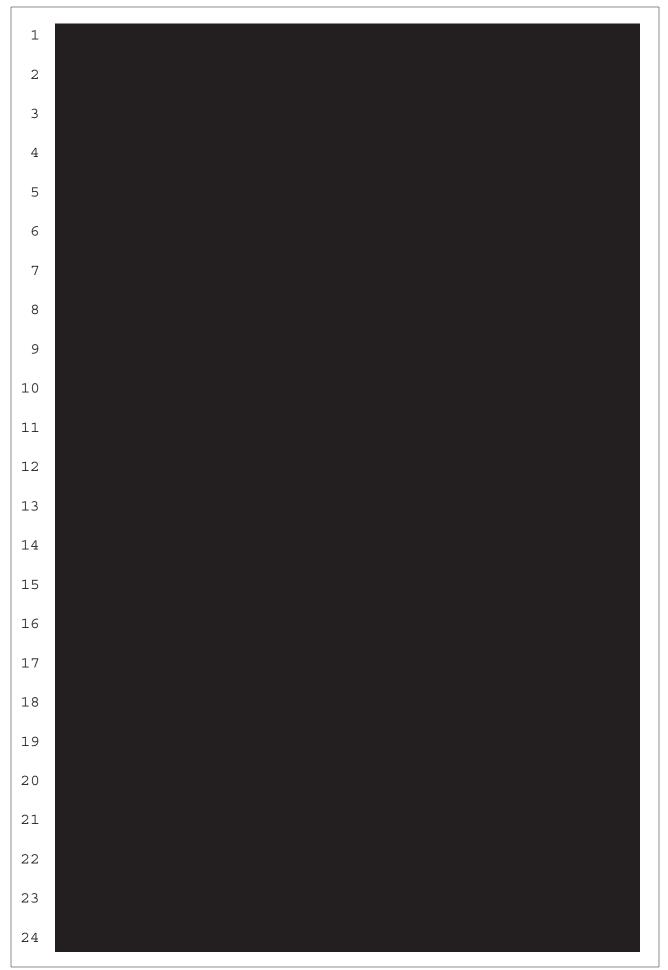


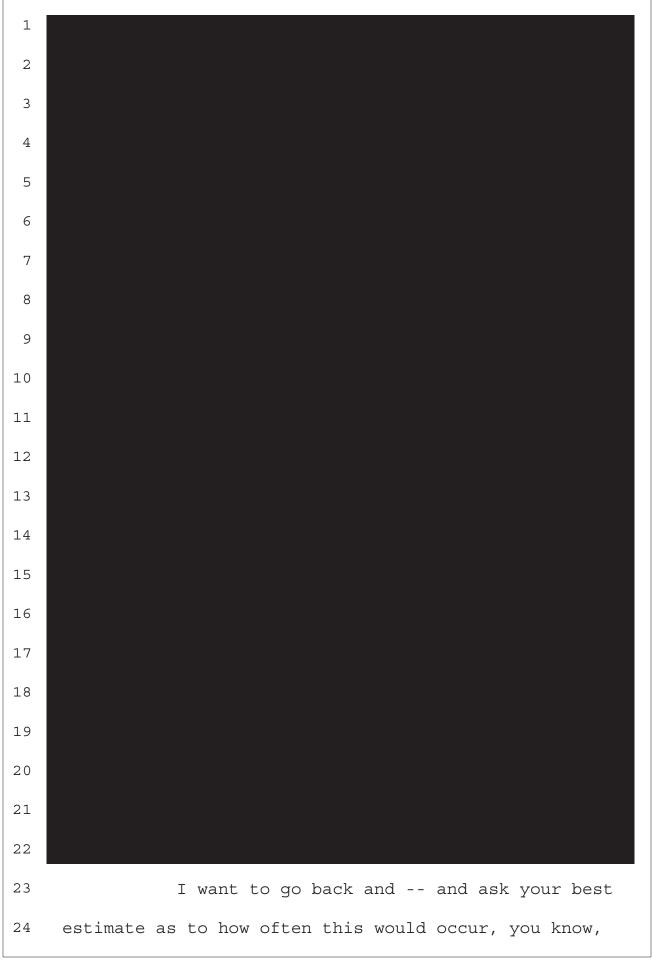












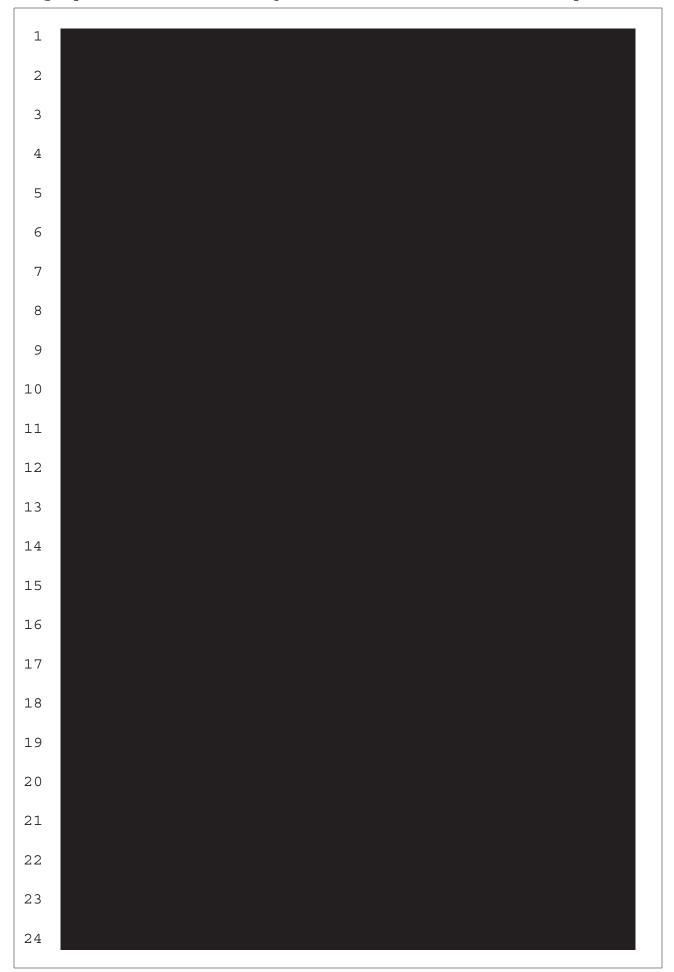
- 1 back around 2006 to 2014.
- Is this something that would occur, you
- 3 know, maybe once a quarter or once every six months or
- 4 is this something that would occur every day?
- 5 MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- 7 A. I don't remember.
- 8 BY MR. ELSNER:
- 9 Q. I know it's hard to remember everything
- 10 that I'm asking, but I really want you to try to do
- 11 your best to tell me, is this something that was a
- 12 routine part of your job that occurred every single
- 13 day?
- MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- 16 A. Not every single day.
- 17 BY MR. ELSNER:
- 18 Q. Okay. Is it something that was routine
- 19 enough that it occurred once a week?
- MR. HYNES: Objection to form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- 22 A. Not every week.
- BY MR. ELSNER:
- Q. Not every week.

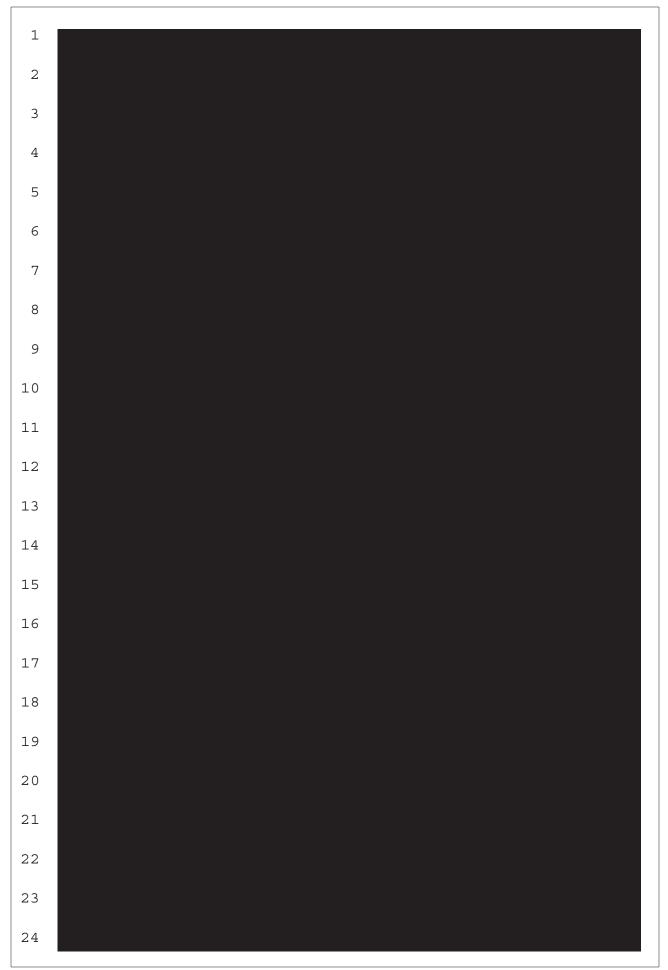
Was it something that was routine enough 1 that would occur every month? 2 MR. HYNES: Objection to form. BY THE WITNESS: 5 Α. Not every month. BY MR. ELSNER: 7 Q. Okay. 8 So this was more of a sort of out of 9 ordinary experience, is that --MR. HYNES: Objection to form. 10 11 BY MR. ELSNER: Q. -- is that accurate? 12 13 A. Yes. 14 Q. Okay. Do you know whether it would occur once every six months? 15 16 MR. HYNES: Objection to form. BY THE WITNESS: 17 18 A. Maybe. BY MR. ELSNER: 19 20 Q. Maybe. 21 It could be -- it could be not even once 22 every six months, is that right? 23 MR. HYNES: Objection to form.

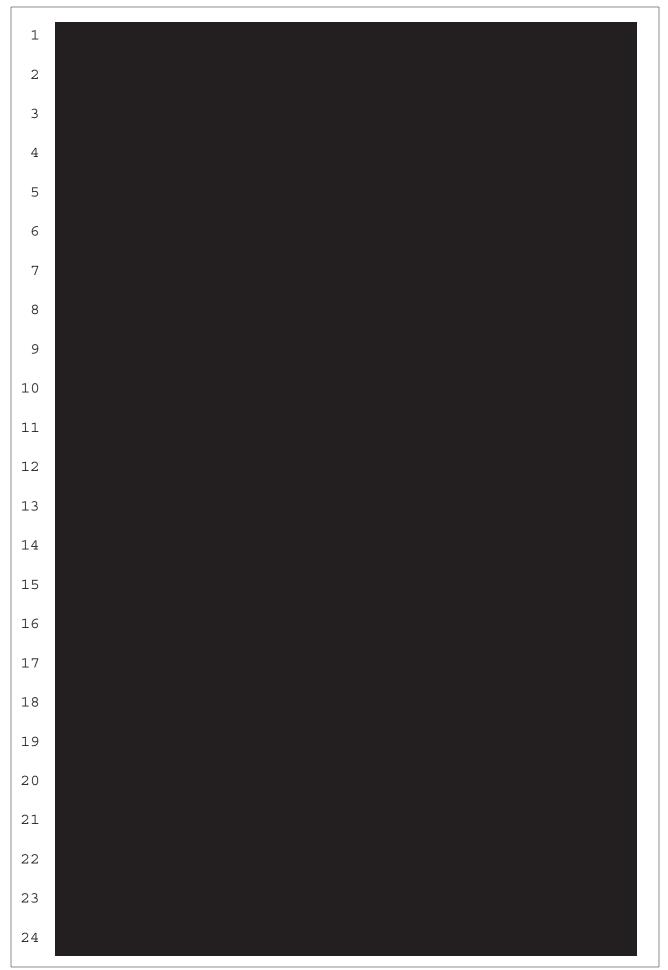
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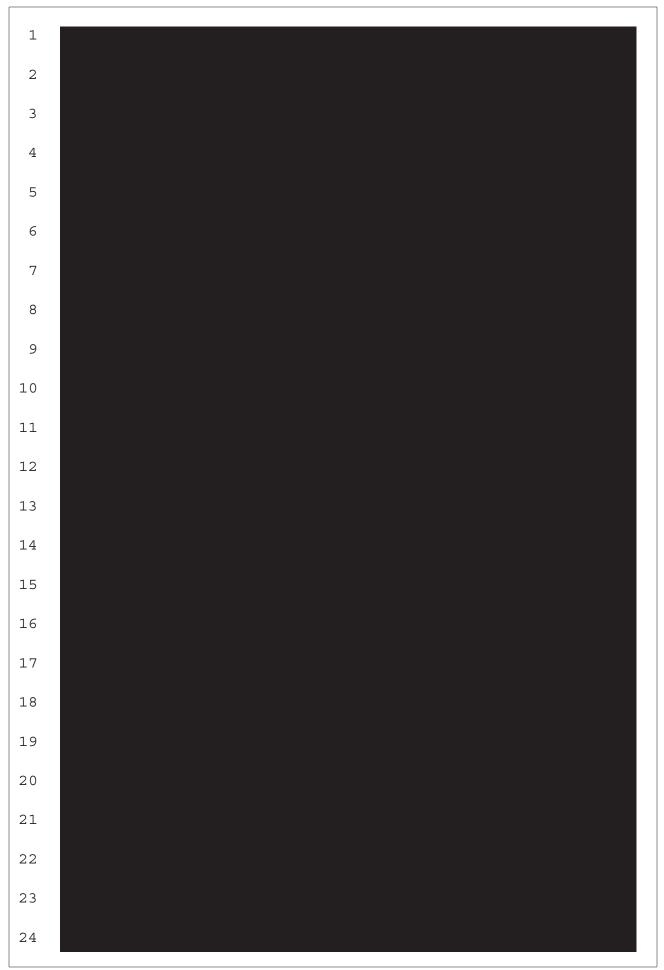
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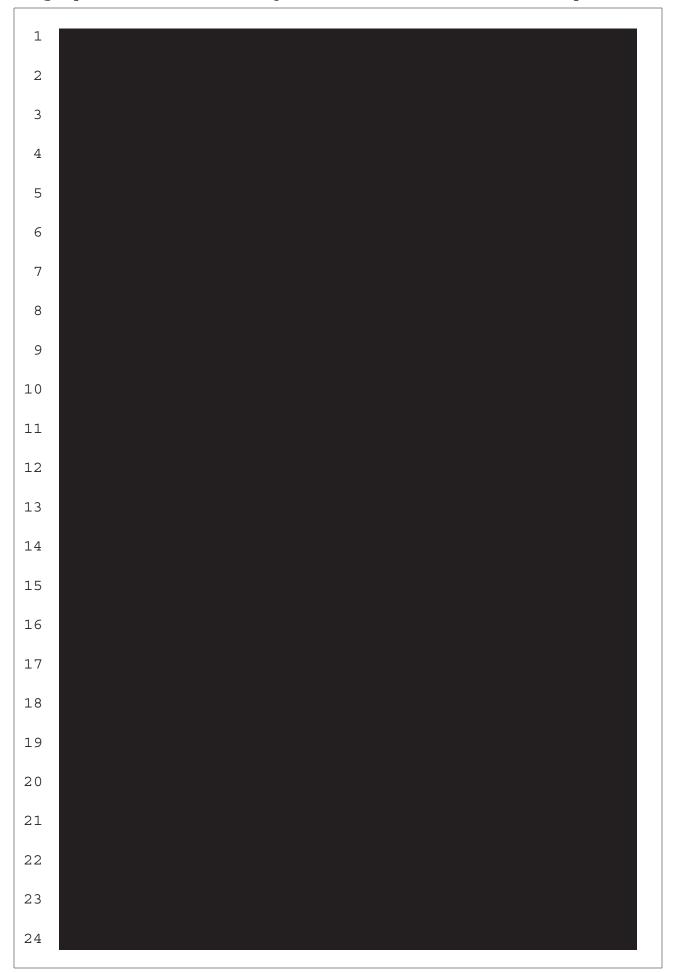








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         MR. HYNES: Sure.
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         MR. ELSNER: Okay. I'm going to pass the
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         MR. HYNES: Okay. Can I just have five minutes?
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         MR. ELSNER: Sure.
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         MR. HYNES: -- one thing and then I'll...
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MR. ELSNER: I -- I pass the witness.
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         MR. HYNES: I have no -- no questions for the
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    witness. Thank you for your time everyone.
         MR. ELSNER: Thank you, Ms. Hinkle.
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          THE WITNESS: Thank you.
         THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at
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    10:27 a.m. This concludes the videotape deposition of
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    Sherri Hinkle.
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